Established February

Intimations

S. WATSON & Co., Limited, ESTABLISHED A.D. 1841.)

THE HONGKONG DISPENSARY, HONGKONG

Wholesale and Retail Druggists. ANALYTIUAC. FAMILY, DISPENSING AND GENERAL CHEMISTS.

PERFUMERS. PATENT MEDICINE PROPRIETORS WINE AND SPIRIT MERCHANTS. MANUPACTURERS OF ARRATED WATERS

BY STRAM MACHINERY. CIGAR IMPORTERS, &c., &c.

In submitting an abridged Synopsis of a few of the chief lines of goods included in our business, we ben to state that we import Drugs. Chemicals, and Goods of every kind of the hast description only-no other quality is kept in

Our long experience and intimate acquaintance with the Trade, and the best sources supply, enable us to purchase direct from the Producers on the tery best terms, and thus give us an advantage which enables us to offer our constituents the benefit of a considerable reduction in the price of all our Specialties as compared with similar articles sold elsewhere.

22 We wish it to be clearly understood that our prices cannot be beaten by any other firm in the Colony; and we trust it will soon become generally known that, quality for quality our charges all round compare favourable with local rates, and in most instances with

those ruling at home. Experienced qualified English Assistants ONLY are employed in the preparation and dispensing of Medicines. Analysis of all Kinds. - Wearein a position

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Ear and Enema Syringes, Bougies, Ca theters, Pessaries, Trusses, Elastic Silk Stockings, Knee Caps, Anklets, Wristlets, and Bandages of all kinds. Urinals, Male or Female, in Glass, Earthenware, and India Rubber.

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Intimations.

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A large selection of all kinds kapt in stock to choose from.

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MINERAL WATERS OF ALL KINDS.

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and good value for the money. The same being specially selected by our London House, and bought direct from the most noted Shippers, are imported in wood and bottled by ourselves, thus enabling us to supply the best growths at moderate prices. Price list to be had on application.

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ed in the manufacture throughout. FOR COASE PORTS Waters are packed prices, and the full amount allowed for

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We invite attention to our fine old landed Brands, all of which are of excellent quality

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Intimations.

HONGKONG RIFLE ASSOCIATION. AT the Ensuing Mustane EXTRA PRIZES will be presented for the

following Events:-Competitors whose respective Scores make up the highest aggregates in the Three Stages of the Queen's let Stage 200, 500 and 600 Yards, One

Prize presented by G. E. Noble, Esq. 2nd Stage-500 and 600 Yards,—One Prize presented by D. Gillies, Esq. 3rd Stage - 800 and 900 Yards - One Prize presented by D. E. Sassoon, Enq. No. 23-In this Competition -2nd Prize presented by Hon. J. J. Keawick; 3rd Prize presented by Bavier Chaffour, Esq. (Instead of those named in the

Programmes). No. 26 - Aggregate. - Four Prizes, value 825, added .- Presented by Vice Admiral Sir Novell Salmon, V.C., K.C.B.

C. VIVIAN LADDS.

Hone Secretary.

Hongkong, April 3, 1890. THE NEW EAST BORNEO

PLANTING COMPANY, * LIMITED (HONGKONG).

CAPITAL,8400,000 Divided into 40,000 Shares of \$10 each of which 20,000 A shares fully paid up to the Vandors the East Borneo Planting Company, Limited, as the consideration for the Melapi Estate tokon over as a going con-

cern and 20,000 B shares to be offered for aubeription. Terms \$3 on application and the balance at call as required. Not more than \$2 to be called up at any one time and one month's notice to be given of a call.

The B shares to be entitled, for 5 years from the Registration of the Company, to a cumulative preferential dividend of 7 per cent, per annum on the amount for the time being paid up on such shares. The A shares to be entitled to a dividend at the like rate after such payment and the residue of profits to be divided between the A and B shares on the amounts paid up respectively on such shares or to be carried to reserve or otherwise dealt with as the directors shall

determine. DIRECTORS. BENDYSHE LATTON, -Hongkong, HENRY LISTON DALLYMPLE, -Hongkong. EDWARD RACING COLORS. ELLIS ABRAHAMSON, - British North Borneo. ALFRED PARKER STOKES, -Hongkong.

BANKERS HONGKONG & SHANGHAI BANKING COR-PORATION.

8 LICITURS. JOHNSON, STOKES & MASTER. OFFICE. GIBB, LIVINGSTON & Co., Hongkong.

ABRIDGED PROSPECTUS. THE objects of the Company are to acbusiness of the East Borneo Planting Company, Limited as a going concern and to

the now well known Kinabatangan River, British North Borneo. The East Borne Planting Company, Limited commenced clearing in the Autumn of 1888, and have been working their Estate to the present time. The result of the working for the year 1889 has been a crop of tobacco of the required quality as regards both size and texture of leaf, and samples have been valued by experts in London at 2/6 to 3/- per 1b, and reported on in Amsterdam as of excellent quality, but the Capital of the Company has been the enterprise. . It has therefore been determined that the East Borneo Planting. Company, Limited, shall be reconstituted

and the present Company has been formed for the purpose. The Capital of the East Borneo Planting Company, Limited is \$209,000 divided into 4,000 shares of \$50 each fully paid up, and the consideration to be paid to the Shareholders in that Company is the same amount in 20,000 fully paid up shar s in the present Company. The remaining 20,000 shares to be offered for sub-

scription in terms of this prospectus and to be available for the further development of the Estate. The work which has been done on the Estate is as follows: A Manager's house and Assistants house have been built, also coolie sheds and drying and fermenting sheds. Roads have been out, drains made, and jungle for planting 150 fields for 1890. There is also a Pepper Plantation on which between \$4,000 @ \$5,000 has been expended and the prospects of which are good. The whole is in full working order, there is

sn ample supply of Chinese labour, The cash balance of the old Company and the proceeds of the Sale of the 1889 crop, which goes to Europe about May next being taken over as part of the assets, the For the Hongkong and Shanghai Bank-Directors have good reason to believe that there will be nearly sufficient funds to work the crop of 1800 and that in any event it will not cost the present Company more For the New Oriental Bank Corporation, than \$30,000. This crop, with the present organised latour force, may reasonably be expected to yield from it to 8 picula a field, an estuated value of \$190,000 to \$131,000. In good years the average yield per field may be considerably higher The Ranow

Estate British, North Borneo has produced 101 piouls a field. The results to be obtained from the first year's working of this Company with 18 months labour already done on the Estate may be reasonably expected to be as ful-

15" fields @ say 7 piculs a field = 1,000 piculs or 140 000 the, @2/6 per 10 = £17,000 or @ 3/1= Dadust for charges, shipping &c., (liberal estimate) \$10,000

Deduct for working a/o. 30,000 673.518.58

Showing on first year's working of this Company a profit of over \$70 000. Forms of application to be obtained from the Hongkong & Shanghai Banking Cotporation. The subscription list will close on the 9th April, 1890.

No. 73, WINDHAM STREET: DOARD AND RESIDENCE COMPONTABLE HOME FOR SINGLE CENTLEMEN. Moderate Trans.

MRS. KJELLER Proprietras. Hongroug, July 19, 1869.

Business Notices.

1845.

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THE CUTTING PACKING COY AND OTHER FIRST-CLASS PACKERS. --- All Goods of the very Best Quality Procurable. Almonds, Anchovies, Apple Sauce, Arrowroot, Asparagus, Bacon, Barley, Bloaters, Bloater Paste, Bologna Sausiges, Brawn, Candles, Capers, Catsup, Caviare, Champignons, Cheese, Chocolate, Cocoa, Clams, Chutney, Coffee, Cornflour, Cornneal, Oracked Wheat, Cranborry Sauce, Curries, Carrants, Essences, Extract of Meat, Pruits, Came, Gelatine, Haddocks, Herbs, Herrings, Hominy, Honey, Infant's Rood, Isinglass, Jame, Jellies, Lobsters, Maccaroni, Meats, Milk, Mushrooms, Mustard, Oxineal, Olives, Oysters, Pates, Pepper, Pickles, Pilchards, Potted Maats and Fish, Raisins, Sigo, Salad Oil, Salmon, Sardines, Sauces, Sansiges, Soups, Spices, Strawberries, Tapicea, Tart Fruits, Tongues, Truffles, Vanilla, Vegetables, Vormicelli, Worcestershire Sauce, &c., &c.

L. C. & Co.'s SPECIALITIES. REDGATE'S Streaky Bacon and York Hams, HUNTLEY & PALMER'S and PEEK FREAN' Biscuits, Plum Cakes, L. C. & Co.'s French Butter, Calcutta Proserves, L C. & Co.'s Ground Coffee, Cumshaw Tea, Ceylon Tea, Confiturerie de St. James Jama, Pegwell Bay Essence of Shrimps (for Fish), LAYENEY'S Pickles, PHILLIPE & CUNAUD'S Vegetables, &c., Dutch Asparagus in water.

WINES, SPIRITS, BEERS, LIQUEURS, BITTERS.

LANE, CRAWFORD & Co. Hongkong, March 1, 1800. HOTEL

THE Undersigned bega to notify the Public of Hongkong and the Coast Ports, that he will OPEN the MARINE HOTEL, on or about the 1st May. THIS FIRST-OLASS HOTEL situated on the Praya, West, opposite the OLD P. & O. Whate, and is newly built

after the designs of the Largest European Hotels-he BEDROOMS, BATH-ROOMS, &c., are commodious, well Ventilated and well Furnished, and are auitable for Single or Married Persons. The DINING ROOM is large and looks on the Harbour. The TABLE D'HOTE will be supplied with the best the market can provide. The BAR and BILLIARD ROOMS are on the Ground Floor, and will be fitted up in superior style. ENGLISH AND AMERICAN TABLES.

WINES and LIQUORS of the best qualities and Brands only will be supplied.

The Undersigned therefore begs the patronage of the Public, hoping to give every JAS. EDWARDS, Proprietor. satisfaction.

NEW TLSTERS and INVERNESS CAPES. CHESTERFIELD and COVERT COATS. CHEVIOR and SAXONY SUITINGS. STYLISH TROUSERINGS.

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Praya and Queen's Road Central, Hongkong. ITHIS Extensive and well-appointed Establishment, situated in one of the most central and airy positions in the Colony and commanding a splendid view of almost the entire harbour and within five minutes' walk of the principal Government Offices (including the Post Office), Banks, &c., has recently been much enlarged and improved and is now one of the principal Horers in the place. L. quire the property and take over the The ROOMS are spacious, well ventilated and have just been refurnished in a most

comfortable and handsome manner, suited to the requirements of the Far East. The Accommodation and Service of every kind will be found to be of the best description. plant and grow tohacco, pepper, &c. on Au ample and varied TABLE D'HOTE is always provided and served in the spacious, their Estate (called the Melapi Estate) consisting of 10,000 selected acres of land on The HOTEL also contains handsome and comfortable Reception, READING, BILLIAND and SMOKING ROOMS.

The HOTEL is unsurpassed for comfort, convenience and quick service. Continental languages are spoken. Messrs. DORABJEE & HING KEE

Hongkong, September 16, 1885. POWELL

EX STEAMSBIP GLENGARRY. found insufficient for the requirements of TIRIMMED and UNTRIMMED MILLINERY. WHITE and COLOURED STRAW HATS.

FLOWERS and FLOWER BONNETS. CORSETS; HANDKERCHIEFS and FRILLINGS. NEW SHADES in PLAN TURSOLE SILES.

VICTORIA EXCHASOR, April 3, 1800.

Intimations.

BANK HOLIDAYS. TN accordance with Ordinance No. 6 of 1875, the Undermentioned BANKS

be CLOSED for the Transaction of Public Business on FRIDAY, the 4th Inst. (Good FRIDAY), and on MONDAY, the 7th lust. (EASTER MONDAY). For the 'Chartered Mercantile Bank of

India, London and China, C. F. ROWBAND, Manager, Hongkong. For the 'Chartered Bank of India, Augtralia and China, T. H. WHITEHEAD.

Manager, Hougkong. ing Corporation." J. P. WADE GARD'NER. Acting Chief Manager.

Limited. H. A. HERBERT, Manager, Horokong.

L GLENAT, Acting Agent, Hongkong. Hongkong, April 1, 1890.

WANTED FOR SANDAKAN. TLERK of WORKS-WANTED for PAN-DAKAN (Borney), Salary, 88) | er month. Must have References as to Sobriety and as to Ca; agity to Superintend Building Operations. Apply by letter to BORNEO, Mesers. DANNY, LEIGH & OHANGE. Hongkong, March 29, 1890.

LIMITED. NOTICE TO SHAREHOLDERS

THE HONOKONG AND KOWLOOM

WHARF & GODOWN COMPANT,

THE Third Ordinary Annual MEETING of the SHAKEHOLDERS in the above Company will be held in the CHARBER or Converce Rooms of the City Hall, at Twelve o'Clock (acon), on TRURSDAY, the 10th April mar, for the purpose of re-Statement of Accounts to Stat Decomper, EDWARD OSBORNE,

Hougkons, Merch 27, 1890.

Secretary.

W. POWELL & Co.

Intimations. CHINESE IMPERIAL GOVERNMENT SEVEN PER CENT. SILVER

LOAN OF 1886.

SEVENTH DRAWING. TNTEREST D"E and DRAWN BONDS

HONOKONG & SHANGHAI BANKING

CORPORATION.

of this LOAN will be Payable at the OFFICES of the CORPORATION on and after 31st Instant. LISTS OF DRAWN BONDS can be obtained on application to the Undersigned. For the

Agents Issuing the Loan, WADE GARD'NER Acting Chief Manager. Horgkong, March 31, 1893.

AUSTIN ARMS HOTEL AND BUILD. ING COMPANY LIMITED. For the Comptoir National d'Escompte de MR. JOHN ANDREW having Restonpany, Mr. HENRY HUMPHREYS has been appointed ACTING SECRETARY. The REGISTERED OFFICE has been 616 REMOVED to 36, QUEEN'S ROAD CENTRAL

> For the Directors, INO. D. HUMPHREYS. Chairman 15th March, 1890.

(over the Hongkong Dispensary).

AUSTIN ARMS HOTEL AND BUILD. ING COMPANY LIMITED. MR. JOHN D. HUMPRERYS has VI been appointed MANAGING DIRECTOR of the above Company.

HENRY HUMPHREYS, Acting Secretary. 17th March, 1891. THE HONGKONG MARINA, LIMITED.

NOTICE. By Order of the Board of Directors. J. A. BARRE TO.

Hongkong, March 28, 1890.

日六十月二閏年寅庚

Banks. HONGKONG & SHANGHAI BANKING

CORPORATION.

RESERVE FUND\$4,600,000 RESERVE LIABILITY OF PRO- \$7,500,000

COURT OF DIRECTORS. Chairman-H. L. DIERYMPLE, Req. Deputy Chairman - J. S. Moses, Eaq. T. E. DAVIES, Esq. Uon. A. P. McEWEN. W. H. FORBES, Esq. S. O. MICHAELSEN, H. HOPPINA, Esq. Hon. J. J. KESWICK. L. POESNECREE, ESQ. ALEX: McConacure, D. R. Sassoon, Esq.

CHIEF MANAGER. Rongkong,.........G. E. NOBLE, Esq. MANAGER. Shanghai, Jour WALTER, Esq.

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LOCAL BILLS DISCOUNTED. Credity granted on approved Securities and every description of Banking and Exchange business transacted. Drafts granted on Loudon, and the chief Commercial places in Europe, India,

6 per cent.

Australia, America, China and Japan, G. E. NOBLE. Chief Manager.

Hongkong, April 3, 1890

Notices of Firms.

NOTICE. MR. K. A. STEVENS has This Day been authorised to Sign our Firm

per Procuration. GEO. R. STEVENS & Co. Hengkong, April 1, 1890

NOTICE.

THE Firm of BIRLEY & Co. at this Port has CEASED to exist, and the GOODWILL and BUSINESS of the same has been handed over to and will, henceforth,

be conducted by Messre, HERBERT DENT & Co., of Canton and Macao. BIRLEY & Co.

DEFERRING to the above all Amounts Tu due to, and owing by BIRLEY & Co. be actiled by

KENNETH DOUGLAS ADAMS. Cauton, 15th March, 1890.

Canton, loth March, 1890.

NOTICE. ATR. L'ALBARUKHIA JOHN MA. IVI . HOMED being about to leave for Bombay. We have dely authorised Mr. MOOSABBOY MUNJEE to Sign and conduct our Business in Hongkong and

China, from this date. JAIRAZBHOY PEERBHOY & Co.

Hongkong, April 1, 1800.

NOTICE. ATOTICE is hereby given that the PART-MERSKIP lately existing between the Undersigned, under the Style of BEN-JAMIN & DANBY, has been DISSOLVED by mutual consent as and from this date. All outstanding Contracts and Liabilities incurred before the Dissolution will be ar-

ranged by the Portners of the late Firm. S. S. BENJAMIN

S. I. DANBY. E. S. KELLY. Hongkong, March 31, 1890.

NOTICE [171TH Reference to the above the Business of STOCK and SHARE BROKERS lately carried on by S. S. BENJAMIN, S. I. DANBY and F. S. KELLY, under the Style of BENJAMIN-& DANBY, will be CONTINUED from this date by the Under-

signed under the Style of BENJAMIN & S. S. BENJAMIN.

E. S. KELLY.

NOTICE. THE INTEREST and RESPONSIBILITY OF the Undersigned JOHN DODD in the Firm of Mesers. DODD & Co., at Tameni and Kelung, Formosa-crasen as from the 1st February, 1890. The Business will as from that date be carried on by Mr.

Hongkong, March 31, 1890.

HENRY PERCY WHITE. JOHN DODD. Hongkong, March 2), 1890. 524

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TOM GREAVES GOWLAND and Mr.

VI late of Mesers. BIBLEY & Co., Canton has joined our Firm from this date, and is authorised to Sign the Name of the Firm. HERBERT DENT & Co.

Canton, 16th March, 1890.

Hongkong, April 1, 1800.

AR KENNETH DOUGLAS ADAMS

THE INTEREST and RESPONSIBILITY OF Mr. A. C. COHEN, in our Firm of BILL BULLION and SHARE BROKERS, Celed on the 15th March, 1290. COBEN & ADIS.

NOTICE.

HONGKONG & SHANGHAI BANKING O HARBHOLDERS are hereby informed De that the Half Yearly MEETING of CORPORATION. this Company prevened for Nood to Mon. DURING my Absence and until further now is Postponed until fulcities L Notice Mr. WADE GARDNER has been appointed Actino CHEEF MANAGER,

By Order of the Court of Directors,

G. E. NOBLE,

Ohief Manager. Hongkong April 1, 1:00.

PRICE, \$2 PER MONTH.

Auctions.

PUBLIC AUCTION. THE Undersigned has received instructions to Sell by Public Auction, on

WEDNESDAY.

the 9th April, 1899, at Noon, at his Sales Rooms, Duddell Street,-(Unless previously disposed of by Private Contract).

THE WRECK OF THE BRITISH. STEAMSHIP SOOCHOW. Of 326 Tons Not Register, as she lies on

Point, near Hoihow, TERMS OF SALE -- Cash on the fall of the For Particulars a; ply to the Undersigned.

the day of Sale on shore, near Obong-mai

G. R. LAMMERT, · Auctioneer. Hongkong, March 26, 1890.

Shipping.

Steamers. NAVIGAZIONE GENERALE

ITALIANA (FLORIO & RUBATTINO UNITED COMPANIES.) STEAM FOR SINGAPORE, PENANG & BOMBAY, Having connection with Company's Mail Steamers to ADEN; SUEZ, PORT SAID. MESSINA, NATLES, (LECHORN) and GENOA; all MEDITERRANEAN. ADRIATIC, LEVANTINE and South Ameri-OAN PORTS, up to CALLAO. Taking Cargo

at through rates to PERSIAN GULF

and BAGDAD.

F. VALLE, Master, will be despatched as above on WEDNESDAY, the 9th Instant, at Noon. At Bombay the Steamers are discharging

The Co.'s Steamship

and Passage, apply to CARLOWITZ & Co.,

COMPAGNIE DES MESSAGERIES MARITIMES

Ouptoin AUBERT, will be despatched for the above

Ports on or about WEDNESDAY, the 9th

For Freight or Passage, apply to G. DE CHAMPEAUX, Hongkong, April 2, 1890.

LIMITED. FOR NAGASAKI, KOBE AND YOKOHAMA.

MOCUL STEAMSHIP COMPANY,

despatched for the above Ports on or about the 9th Instant. For Freight or Passage, apply to

UCEAN STEAMSHIP COMPANY. FOR SHANGHAI VIA AMOY.

Telemachus. Captain Jones, will be despatched as above on FRIDAY, the 11th Instant.

OCEAN STEAMSHIP COMPANY. FOR STRAITS AND LONDON, PIA SUEZ CANAL.

For Freight or Passage, apply to BUTTERFIELD & SWIRE, Agents.

Hongkong, April 3, 1890.

will have quick despatch.
For Freight, apply to

Sailing Vessels. FOR SAN FRANCISCO. The 3/3 L.1.1 American Ship William H. Macy.

AINSBURY, Master, will load here for the above Toxt, and

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RUSSELL & Co. Houghong, March 12, 1890.

THE INDIAN IMPERIAL MARINE TNSURANCE COMPANY, LIMITED. THE Undersigned having been appointed.

prepared to Accept MARINE HISKS at Current Rates. GIBB, LIVINGSTON & Co. Ungkong, November 4, 1880.

FANY, BE Undersigned, Agreets for the above Company, are prepared to ACCEPT

Ayente. Read hoppy, July 15, 1887.

in VICTORIA DOCK. For further Particulars regarding Freight Hongkong, April 1, 1890.

FOR PAKHOT, HAIPHONG, TOURANE AND QUINHON. The Co.'s Steamship

The Steamship

ADAMSON, BELL & Co., Agents. Hongkong, April 2, 1890.

(Taking Cargo & Passengers of through rates for NINGPO, CHEFOO, NEW-CHWANG, TIENTSIN, HANKOW and Ports on the YANGTSZE. The Co.'s Steamship

For Freight or Passage, apply to BUTTERFIELD & SWIRE. Hongkong, April 3, 1890.

The Co.'s Steamship Anchises. Captain Larage, will be despatched as above on SUNDAY, the 13th Instant.

Insurances.

Agents for the above Company, are

QUEEN FIRE INSURANCE COM-

RIBKS against FIRE at Current Rates RORTON & Co.,

Intimations.

THE CHINESE INSURANCE COMPANY, LIMITED, IN LIQUIDATION.

MOTICE is hereby given that a General MEETING of the above named Company will be held at the HEAD (Torrick of the Company, Victoria, Hougkong, at 4 o'Chek on THURSDAY, the link April, 1800, when the Liquidators will by before the Shareholders an account showing their acts and dealings and the manner in which the winding up has been conducted since the commoncement of the winding up until the

31st Decomber, 1889. The Transfer BOOKS of the Company. will be CLOSED from the 23th Instant to the 10th Proximo, both flays inclusive.

> By Order, H. HARMS for the Liquidators.

Hongkong, March 27, 1890.

NOTICE OF MEETING. THE SONGEL KOYAH PLANTING COMPANY, LIMITED.

TRAORDINARY General MEE-TING of the Songel Koyah Planting COMPANY LIMITED will be held at 6, Ico House Eane, Victoria, Hongkong, the REGISTERED OFFICE of the Company, on MONDAY, the 14th day of April, 1890, at 4 of the Clock in the afternoon, for the purpose of enabling the Company to add power in the Articles of Association to enable the Company by its General Managers to forfeit or cancel any Share on which any Call or Instalment shall remain Unpaid and to enable the Canipany to sell, reallot or otherwise dispose of the same, and for the phonose of dealing with the said Shares, and for eausing due notice to be given to the registered Owners of such

Should the Resolution be passed by the required majority it will be submitted for Confirmation as a Special Resolution to a Second Extraordinary Meeting which will be subsequently convened.

A full and complete Copy of the above proposed Amendments may be seen on application at the Company's OFFICE. Dated the 28th day of March 1890. GIBB, LIVINGSTON & Co., . Ceneral Mainigers.

MRS. FALCONER has VACANOLES for GENTLEMEN RESIDENT BOARDERS at Kowloon. Kowleon, 5th February, 1890.

> For Sale. FOR SALE.

AT THE PEAK.

THE FALLS' on R. B. L. No. 28 .-A Well-built Six-ROOMED HOUSE, at present let on Lease for one year. For full Particulars, apply to

THE HONGKONG LAND INVEST- 4 p.m. MENT & AGENCY Co., LTD. Hongkong, November 12, 1889. 2153

lu-day's Advertisements.

THE OHINESE INSURANCE COMPANY, LIMITED, IN LIQUIDATION.

NOTIOE.

THE General MEETING of SHARE. HOLDERS will take place on THURS. DAY, the 10th Instant, at 4 O'CLOCK P.M., instead of at 3 o'Clock as previously

advertised. By Order, H. HARMS.

for the Liquidators.

Hongkong, April 5, 1890.

PUBLIC AUCTION.

FITHE Undersigned has received instructions to Soll by Public Auction, on TUESDAY,

the 8th April, 1890, at 2 p.u., at his Sales. Rooms, Queen's Road,-SUNDRY HOUSEHOLD FURNITURE, &c.,

comprising :-CRETONNE-COVERED DRAWING-ROOM

MARBLE-TOP CENTRE TABLE, CHEFFONIER, CHIMNEY GLASSES, PICTURES, CAPPET and HEARTH RUGS.

DINING TABLE, SIDEBOARD WITH MIRROR BACK, WHATNOIS, TEARWOOD DINING-ROOM CHAIRS, ORCCKERY, GLASS & PLATED-WARE. WRITING TABLES and COPYING PRESS. DUPLEY TABLE LAMPS & BRACKET LAMPS. DOUBLE RED SINGLE BEDSTEADS, DOUBLE and Single Wardroses with Glass-Doors. CHEST OF DRAWERS, TOILET TABLE with GLASS, and MARBLE-TOP, WASHSTAND. I CORNET, I GUITAR, & 2 CONCERTINAS. 3 CLARINETS.

ONE PIANO. ONE KEROSINE COOKING RANGE.

TERMS OF SALE. -As customary. J. M. ARMSTRONG, Auctioneer.

Hongkong, April 5, 1890.



THE following Particulars of SALE of OROWN LAND by Public Auction,

to be held on the Spot, on MONDAY, the 21st day of April, 1890, at 5 p.m., are published for general information. By Command

W. M. DEANE, Acting Colonial Secretary. COLONIAL SECRETARY'S OFFICE, Hongkong, 29th March, 1890.

Particulars of the Letting by Public Auction Sale, to be held on Moxpay, the 21st day of April, 1890, at 5 p.m. by Order Railways. of His Excellency the Offier Administering the Government, of Two Lots of Crown Land, in the Colony of Hongkong, for a term of 999 years.

Particulars of the Lots.

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To-day's Advertisements.

DOUGLAS STEAMSHIP COMPANY LIMITED. FOR SWATOW, AMOY AND TAMSUI.

The Co.'s Steamship Captain HALL, will be despatched for the above Ports TO-MORROW, the 6th Instant, at

For Freight or Passage, apply to DOUGLAS LAPRAIK. & Co., General Managers.

Hongkong, April 5, 1890.

FOR SHANGHAL The Steamship Caplain R. KOHLER, will be despatched for the

above Port TO-MORROW, the 6th Inst., For Preight or Passage, apply to SIEMSSEN & Co.

Hougkong, April 5, 1890. MOTICE is hereby given that an EX- THE CHINA SHIPPERS' MUTUAL STEAM NAVIGATION COM-

· PANY, LIMITED. FOR SHANGHAI, KOBE AND YOROHAMA.

The Co.'s Steamship C. H. KEMP, Commander, he above Ports on MONDAY, the 7th Instant, at Daylight.

For Freight, apply to ARNHOLD, KARBERG & Co., Hongkoug, April 5, 1890.

THE CHINA SHIPPERS' MUTUAL STEAM NAVIGATION COM-PANY, LIMITED.

FOR LONDON. The Co.'s Steumship Ningchow, WM. DURDIN, Comm'der will be despatched for the above Port on MONDAY, the 7th

Instant, at 5 p.m. For Freight, apply to ARNHOLD, KARBERG & Co.,

Hougkong, April 5, 1890.

THE CHINA & MANILA STEAMSHIP COMPANY, LIMITED. FOR MANILA VIA AMOY. The Co.'s Stenniship

Capt. G. TAYLER, will be despatched for the above Port on TUESDAY, the 8th Instant, at

For Freight or Passage, apply to RUSSELL & Co., General Managers. Honghong, April 5, 1890.

DOUGLAS STEAMSHIP COMPANY, LIMITED.

> FOR SWATOW, AMOY AND TAIWANFOO. The Co.'s Steamship

Captain HUKTER, will be despatched for the above Ports on WEDNESDAY, the 9th Inst., at Daylight. For Freight or Passage, apply to DOUGLAS LAPRAIK & Co.,

General Manugers. Hongkong, April 5, 1890.

FOR NEW YORK. The 3/3 L. 1.1. British Barque HIBBERT, Master, will load here for the above Port, and will

have quick despatch. For Ereight, apply to RUSSELL & Co.

llongkong, April 5, 1890. Occidental & Oriental Steam

Ehip Company.

TAKING CARGO AND PASSENGERS TO JAPAN, THE UNITED STATES, MEXICO, CENTRAL AND OUTH AMERICA, AND EUROPE TA

THE OVERLAND BAILWAYS,

ATLANTIC & CTHER CONNECTING STEAMERS

to in the HE Steamship BELGIC will desparched for San Francisco. Yokodiama, on TUESDAY, the 29th April, Connection being made at Yokobama, the Port.

with Steamers from Shanghai and Japan All Parcel Fackages should be marked to address in full; and same will be received at the Company's Office, until 5 p.m. the day previous to sailing. First-class Farca granted as follows :-

To San Francisco £225.00 To San Francisco and return, 1 293.75 available for 6 months To London 330.00

Officers of the Army, Navy, Civil Service and the Imperial Chinese Customs, to be obtained on application. Passengers by this Line have the option

of proceeding overland by the Southern Pacitic and connecting Lines, Central Pacifie, Northern Pacific or Canadian Pacific Passengers, who have paid full fare, reambarking at San Francisco for China

Japan (or vice versa) within one year will be slowed a discount of 10 %. This allowance does not apply to through fares from Chino and Japan to Europe. Consular levoices to accompany Cargo destined to points beyond San Francisco, in the United States, should be sent to the Company's Offices, addressed to the Cuirc-

tor of Customs, Ban Francisco. For further information as to Freight or Passage, apply to the Agency of the Company, No. 504, Queen's Road Contral. C. D. HARMAN,

Agen Hongkong, April 5, 1890.

Business Notices

C(LATE THE HALL & HOLTZ CO-OPERATIVE COY., LTD.) .

ADIES' AND CHILDREN'S OUTFITTERS. DRESSMAKERS.

MILLINERS;

MANTLE-MAKERS.

Normandy, British steiner, 664, Ruston

Cass, Saigon Mar. 31, Rice. - A. G. Morris.

Diamante, British steamer, 514, G. Tay.

ler, Manila April 2, Gogeral.-Russett &

Copacle, British stenmer, 1,834, Kemp.

Liverpool and Singapore March 29, General.

der Hon, R. Bingham, Canton April 4.

DEPARTURES.

April 5 :-

Admiral Korniloff. Russ, cruiser, for Amoy.

Chaescur, French gunboat, for Marao.

Coulpara, for Singapore and Calcutt.

CHEARED.

" -April 4:-

Ancona, for Shanghai and Yokohama,

Glamorgamhire; for Yokohama.

Wind Le tacheur, for Manila.

-ABNHOLD, KARBERG & Co.

HOLD, KABBERG & Co.

Amoy, for Whampoa,

Johann, for Holhow.

Tairheong, for Saigon.

Clara, for Haiphong.

Amigo, for Saigon.

Ulysses, for Amoy.

Memnon, for Sandakau.

Rushun, for Whampos.

Looksang for Shanghai.

Gaelic, for San Francisco.

Venetia, for Yokohama.

N. S. de Loerlo, for Salgon.

Forwards, for Chefoo.

Chousant, for Guant.

Albany, for Saig n.

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Tritos, for Bangkerk,

Devset, for Saigon.

Benlargers, for Snigon.

Ingrabas, for Newchang.

Formose, for Coast Ports.

Milke Maru, for Saigon.

Glencarn, for Saigen.

Ospack, for Shanghai.

Ningpo, for Shanghai.

and Sharpler.

Walworth.

and 300 Chinese.

pean tervant.

William, and 20 Chinese.

Phra Chula Chom Klag, for Swatow.

PASSESGERS.

Per Propontis from Saigon, 16 Chinese.

Per Devonhurst, from Batavia, 46Chinese.

Per Amoy, from Shanghai, Messis Buli

Per Ardgay, from Saigon, Mr Tremlett.

Marcaida, 2 children and 3 servents, Mr.

and Mrs Arellano and 2 children, Messrs

Fisher, Germann, Gerard, Mitjans, Blacki,

Per Copack, fre m Singapore, 120 Chinesc.

Per Ningchow, from Shanghai, Mr J. D.

. DEPARTED.

Per China, for Baigon, 15 Chinese.

Per Johann for Hoihow, 30 Chinese.

Per Ulysses, for Amoy, 3 Europeans, and

Per Memnon, for Sandakan, 4 Europeans,

Per Haitan, for Swatow, 200 Chinese.

Per Alwine, for Hollow, 80 Chinese.

Per Clara, for Haiphong, 15 Chinese.

Beart, M. P. do Sande o Castro, Yook Kai.

Noville, Lomax, A. Blaska, and 8 Chinese;

for San Francisco, Mr and Mrs H. M. B.

Oliver, Pey, and Mrs Pitcher, child, infant

and notive servant; for Liverpool, Mr J.

A. Micky; for London, Mr F. H. Sawyer.

Mrs Chas. Hirst, MrR. Carr, Miss Hanson,

Capt. and Mrs Yeatherd, child and Euro-

Per Focksging, for Shanghai, 7 Chinese.

Per Formosa, for Swatow, 150 Chinese.

SHIPPING REPORTS.

The British steamer Propontis reports :

The Dutch steamer Devenhand reports ;

The British steamer / rdggy reports

Had fresh N. E. wind and thick dirty wea-

Had freal North wind and high sea.

From Batavia March 24th, had good wea-

Per Dorset, for Saizon, 6 Chinese.

longitude 110° 30 East.

therly winds.

Per Gaclic, for Yokohama. Meisrs M.

Per Diamante, from Manila, Mrand Mrs.

Sprache Moru, for Bangkok.

Chingin, for Sydney

Maitan, for Coast Ports,

China, for Saigon.

Vorwacits,

April 0

NOVELTIES for SUMMER WEAR.

HUNGKONG TRADING COMPANY, LD. (LATE THE HALL & HOLTZ CO-OPERATIVE COY, LTD.) 494

To-day's Advertisements. T. Gennerich, Saigon March 31, Rice and Paddy.—Simusen & Co. Propontis, British steamor, 1,387, Wm.

H. Farrand, Saigon March 31, Rice-STEAM TO SHANGHAL MITSU BYSIN The P. & 0. S. N. Co.'s Test Steamship - 1 Conton, Captain J. S. Arous JARDINE, MATHEMON & Co. will leave for the above place on MON mann, Shanghai April I, General. -- Siens-DAY, the 7th Instant, at 3 pm. SEN & Co. .

E. L. WCODIN, Superintendent. P. & O. S. N. Co. s Office. Hongkong, April b. 1896.

LODGE. ZETLAND - XX

A N Emergency MEETING of the above A LODGE will be held in the FREE-MASONS' HALL, Zelland Street, on TUES: DAY NEXT, the 8th Instant, at 5 for 5.30 p.m. precisely. VISITING BRETHREN are. cordially INVITED. Hongkoug, April 5, 1890.

POATE & NOBLE Dental Aurgeons.

TR. NOBLE has Returned to the Colony and RESUMED PRACTISE. Hongkong, April 5, 1890, NOTICE.

IN ADDITION to our mesent Business in this Colony as SHAIR and GENERAL BROKERS, We have To-day Established ourselves as GENERAL AUCTIONEERS. APCAR BROTHERS. 68, Queen's Roud Central,

643 Alucine, for Holhow and Pakhoi. Hongkoug, April 5, 1890. THE CHINA SHIPPERS MUTUAL STEAM NAVIGATION COM-PANY, LIMITED. FROM ANTWERP, LIVERPOOL

PENANC AND SINGAPORE. THE Company's S.S. Oopack having arrived from the above Ports, Consignees of Cargo are hereby informed that their Goods are being landed at their risk into the Godowns of the Honokone and KOWLOON WHARF AND GODOWN COMPANY, LIMITED, Rowloon, whome delivery-may

Niebe, for Singapore and Hamburg. No Claims will be admitted after the Goods have left the Golowns, and all Claims must be sent in to the OFFICE of the Undersigned, before Noon on the 11th Instant, or they will not be recognized. All broker, chafed, and damaged Goods are to be left in the Godswins, where they will be examined on the 11th Inst., at 4 p.m.

No Fire Insurance has been effected, and any Goods remaining in the Godowns after the 11th Instant will be subject to rent. Optional Curgo will be forwarded unless notice to the contrary be given before Noon To-DAY. Bills of Lading will be countersigned by ARNHOLD, KARBERG & Co.,

Hongkong, April 5, 1800. TAKIN BROTHERS OF CHINA.

LIMPTED DISPENSING CHEMISTS.

DAKIN'S EFFERVESCENT SALINE POWDER. Is cooling, refreshing, and invigorating. It relieves all stomach derangements, It relieves headache and sickness.

It allays febrile symptoms. It quenches thirst. 75 Conts per Bottie. DAKIN'S IODIZED EXTRACT OF

SARSAPARILLA Parificathe Blood. Removes Skin Emp-

Strengthens the System. Is of appeal benefit to those suffering from the Enervaling Effects of the climate. \$1.50 per Bottle.

DAKIN'S VIN DE QUINQUINA This Wine wil. be found of great value as a Tonic in all cases where the system is depressed or where there is the slightest tendency to Mataria or Climatic Debility. It is prepared from the true Bark in embination with our Finest Port Wine, and is an admirable form of administering at the same time the appetizing properties of the Bark with the strengtheding qualities of

> Price, \$1.00 per Bottle. TELEPHONE No. 67.

Nos, 22 & 24, QUEEN'S ROAD CENTRAL

Not Responsible for Debts. Mether the Captain, the Agents, nor V Owners will be Responsible for To other European points at proportion- any Debt contracted by the Officers or ato rates. Special reduced rates granted to Crew of the following Vessels, during

their stay in Hongkong Harbour :-D. T. TERREY. American ship, Capt. D. E. Rodick .- Gibb, Lingston & Co. G. M. STANWOOD, Amer. barque, Capt. John Foster. - Butterield & Swire. SIN KOLGA, British barque, Captain A. Jenson. - Gibb Livingston & Co. THIORYA, British ship, Captain Colin Frager. - Jardine, Malheson & Co. WM. H. MACY, American ship, Capt. J. Av Amsbury .- Order.

BHIPPING.

ARTHYATE

Arnjuda, British batque, 977. J. A. Green, Amoy April 2, Ballast. - ORDER. Triumph, German dezmer, 674, P. Moos, Newchwang March 21, Beans - WILLER &

Rooksang, British steamer, from Wham-Sophie Rickmers, German steamer, 2,003, MEMOS. FOR TO-MORROW. Shipping.

Daylight .- Formosa loaven for S'tow, &c. 4 p. m. - Ningpo leaves for Shanghal. MEMOS. FOR MONDAY.

Shipping. Daylight. - Oopack leaves for S'hai, &c. B-p. m. - Canton leaves for Shanghai. 5 p.m - Ningchow lowes for London. Miscellaneous. Local Banks close.

BY APPOINTMENT.

WINES AND SPIRITS.

A. S. WATSON & Co., LIMITED. (ESTABLISHED A.D. 1841.) HONGKONG.

XIE hvite attention to the following old haded Brands, all of which are excellent quality and good value for thomoney. The sime being specially selected by our. London House, and bought direct from the most noted Shippers, no imported in wood Devonburst, Dutch steamer, 1,164, P. and Bottled by ourselves, thus enabling us Houthoff, Batavia March 24, Sugar to supply the best growths at mederate Amoy, German steamer, 815, The lah-

To la ordering it is only necessary to Blate the name and quantity of Wine or Spirit vanted, and initial letter for quality Manila April 1, Sugar, BUTTERFIELD & Orders through Local Post or by Telegram receive prompt attention. PORTS. (For Invalue and generaluse.) Ardgay, British steamer, 1,086, Robert

> Cuse. Per Bot. A Alto Douro, good quality, Green Capsulo . . B Vintage, superior quality, C Fine Old Vintage, superior quality, Black Seal Cap-

Ningchow, British str., 1,700, William D Very Fine Old Vintage, Durding Shanghai April 2, General .- ARN. oxtra superior. Violet Capsule (Old Bottled) Swift, British gun vessel, 755, Common HERRIES A Delicate Pale Dry, dinner Ingrabas, German steamer, from Whamwine, Green Capsule . . 6 . 0.60 B Superior Pale Dry, dinner German steamer, from wine, Green Soal Capsule 7.50 0.71 C Manzanilla, Palo Natural Doris, Corman ateamer, from Whampon, Sherry, White Capsule . 10.

CO Superior Old Dry, Pale

Natural Sherry, Red Seal D Very Superior Old Pale Dry, choice old Wine. White Seal Capsule E Extra Superior Old Pale Dry, very finest quality, Black Seal Capsule (Cld

Per Case. Per Case. Pints. The Bazaar opens at 10 a.m. Cruaris. CLARETS A Superior Breakfast Claret, Red Capsule . . . B.St. Estepho, Red Capsulo .. 4.50 5.00 C St. Julien .. D La Rose

BRANDY. A Hennessy's Old Pale, Red B Superior VeryOld Cognac, Red Capsule 14 1.25 O Very Old Liqueur Cognao, Red Capsule D Hennessy's Finest Very Old Liqueur Cognac, 1872 Viutage, Red Capaulo .. 24 SCOTCH WHISKY.

A Thorne's Bland, Capsule . . . B Wutson's Closorchy Mellow Blend, Blue Capsule, with Name and Trade Mark. O Watson's Abelour-Glenlivet, Red Capsule, with Name and Trade Mark . D Watson's 11 K D Blend of the Finest Scotch Malt Whiskies, Vielet Cap-

E Watson's Very Old Liqueor Scotch Whisky, Gold Cap-TRISH WHISKY A John Jameson's Old, Green Capsule ... B John Jameson's Fine Old, Green Capaniu. O John Jameson's Very Fine Old, Green Capsule . .

GENUINE BOURBON WHISKY. A. Fine Old Tom, White Cap-B Fine Unsweetened, White-

O Fine A. V. H. Geneva . Finest Old Jamaica, Violet Good Leeward Island \$1.50 per Gallon,

LIQUEURS. Benedicting Maraschine Heering's Cherry Cordial Chartreuse Dr. Siegert's Augustura Bitters, &c.

The publication of this issue commence

9.00 p.m.

The China atlan.

BONGKONG, SATURDAY, APRIL 5, 1890.

TELEGRAMS. SUPPLIED 10 THE 'CHIL MAIL.' (Vie Fouthern List.)

THE DISASTER IN AMERICA. LONDON, 1st April, 1890 Left Snigon March 31st, at 10.30 a.m., had A large true of country in the Missislight variable winds and fine weather, with rippi valley has been submerged by the smooth sea from Cape St. James to Padaran; hursting of the dyker.

there's to Paracel, light S.E. winds and fine weather; from Paracels to grival, had THE CZAR IS GRACIOUS. The Emperer and Empress visited the fresh N.E. winds and overcast, with rais, accompanied by flunder and lightning. Military prison of St. Petersburg an April 1st, off Care Varella passed steamer liberated sixty prisoners and reduced the Embrates April 2nd, passed steamer Bengloe, bound South, latitude 16° North, milences of others.

> (From Singapore Papers) -THE CRISIS IN GERMANY.

London, 27 ll March .- General Caprist Fins weather until attitude 19 N.; thence to port, heavy head sea, and strong Nor-Herr von Alvemichen. Prince Bisharck had a long farewell The British Blomer Diamente reports : was enthusiasically obsered in the structs The British steemer Ningchols reports

ther to Ocksou ; thence to, port, modefate Masses Adamson, Boll & Co. inform as wirds and fine weather. Passed the steamer that the Canadian Pacific Steamship Abys-Bataria, off Brothers, at 3.20 p.m. on 4th linia, from Vancouver, arrived at Yokehama yesterdy morning and left for The British gun-vessel Sulft reports | Kobe, Naganal, Shanghai and Hongkong Had strong N. B. breeze and fire weather, to-day,

LOCAL AND GENERAL

PASSED SURZ CANAL Northern, Mar. 7; Exe. 14; Jason, Patroclus, 18; Antenor, Bayern, Ching-100, Glenfulloch Aglaia, Yunnan, 25, HOMEWARD BOUND :- Bellerophon, March hai, Oanfa, 21; Titan, 25; Hesperia,

Natal, Wismar, 28. The M. M. Co.'s steamer Oceanien, with the from Hongkong on Jan. 20.

The E. & A. S. S. Co. a steamer Catterthun be a very successful one. Shooting will 28th March, and may be expected here on or about the 7th April. Then a. Mogul, from Liverpool, left Singapore on the 2nd April, and may be

ORDER OF CHORAL SERVICE AT ST. JOHN'S CATHEDRAL -- BASTER SUNDAY. Cooke, Rimbault & Humphreys; To Doum & Jublate, Bunnett in E ; An- ance, 1890. them, 'God bath appointed a day;' nion Service, Stainer in D; Nicone The Public Health Ordinance, 1887. Oreed, Marbook; Hymn, 33; Offer.

my Redeemer liveth (Handel). Evensong :- Processional, No. 136 ; Propos Psalms, Battishill, Tonas Perigrinus, Goodson & Walmisly Magnificat & Nunc Dimitis; Bunnett in E; Anthom, 'They have taken away my Lord (Stainer) ; Hymns, 135 & 30; Voluntary, Selection from the Messiah. Handel.

MESERS Gibb, Livingston & Co. inform ut that the steamer Benlarig, from Glasgow and London, leaves Singapore for Hongkong to-day.

Mesers Jardine Matheson & Co. inform that the s. s. Eutsang, from Calcutta for where he dropped considerable same of this port, left Singapore on Thursday, the 3rd inst., at 4 p.m. LAWN TENNIS CHAMPIONSHIP. - In the final which was played on Friday, Mr E. J.

Coxon beat Mr Platt. Games, 6-2, 6-1

6-1. -Mr Coxon having won two years

consecutively, keeps the cup. 1.10 We would remind our readers of the Bazaar to be held in the Italian Convent on Easter Monday, the 7th instant, in aid of the poor 1.25 Orphans. B. E. the Acting Governor has given his patrosage to this worthy object. houses that had been entered. The

Canton steamers are now partying off large crowds of the Chinese who visit-Ir is notified that Major W. T. Ellis has been selected for the command of the 2nd Batt. Northamptonshire Regiment, vice Col. D. G. Anderson, who retires. Col. Anderson left Singapore on Taursday by the French Mail for Hongkong.

. 812 St. 10 A Cricket Match-H.K.C.C. v. Army and Navy-will be played on Monday next, commencing at 10,30 a.m. The following cleven will represent the Club .- E. J. proceed through the Suez Canal to Van-Coxon, (Capt.), G. S. Coxon, E. W. Mait- conver, calling at the principal portation land, F. Maitland, T. S. Smith, L. Barff, route. It appears that the steamers are to 8. Coxon, Dr. Atkinson, E. Travers, Lam- tween Vancouver and Hongkong." mert, A. N. Other. Tiffin on the ground.

According to a tolegram received from London the directors of the China Shippers 0.75 Mutual S. N. Co. have recommended afurther dividend, subject to the confirmation 0.75 by shareholders, of 16 shillings per share, payable on the 25th instant, adding the amount of £18,000 to depreciation, boiler and Reserve Funds, and £7000 to be our ried forward. The annual meeting will b held on the 14th inst.

12- 1.10 The annual meeting of the shareholders of Cruickshank & Co., Limited, was held at the Hongkoug Hotel on the 3rd inst. W. Crnickshipk presided, and there were present Mesure D. McCulloch, J. Andrew, G. Fenwick, A. Bain, J. Stephen, D. Ramsay and Capt. McCaslin. The report and accounts were taken as read. A copy of what is published in the Daily Pres we gather that the profit on the year was con-4.50 D. 40 samed by an interim dividend of 5 % paid some months ago, leaving now some fifty 4.50 0.40 odd dollars to be carried forward. In 5.25 0.50 answer to Mr Fenwick, the Chairman said that the allowance made for bad debis was \$200, that nothing had been allowed for with their Royal Highnesics the Duke and depreciation of fixtures or of merated water Duchess of Connaught on board. The s. s. machinery, and nothing had been written Fatshan which was onchored at the wharf off launches The launches were valued - was also decorated with flags and streamers. the Ek at \$2,000 and the Scotic at \$4,000r The Hankow anchored opposite the foreign Mr Fenwick thought it was not fair for Mr settlement. H. B. M. Consul Alabaster Cruickshank, who is leaving the Colony, to went off to welcome the Royal visitors, as hamper his successor with fixtures and laun- soon as the steamer anchored. A covered ches valued at their utmost limit. They would way had been constructed from the landing have to be written down next year, stens to the British Consulate. The sides and it was very doubtful if the new of the paths were tastefully desorated with manager would be able to show a profit, plants. As sooms the Royal party were especially as the profit under Mr Cruick- propared to come ashore salutes were fired shank's management had been very small. from the German, American, and British Mr Fenwick thought something ought also, gumboate in port and the yards manned in to be written off the goodwill, which had honour of the Duke and Duches. Two Chitremained the same since the company neseguard boats were anchorod off the steps, started. It could hardly be considered and a number of Chinese soldiers attended

able being \$2,000 more. It was impossible sengers with the Duke and Duchess. We to write down at present. Mr Fanwick were surprised that the loyal Britishers of considered that the new manager was not Canton did not raise a hearty Hip Hip starting on a proper fasis, and that if he Harrah when their Royal Highnesses landdid not show a large dividend it would not ed, but the fact in they did not be altogether his fault. The motion for A large crowd of Chinese and Europeans the adoption of the report and accounts was present and the latter readily recogwas carried, Mr Fenwick voting against it. nised Il. R. Highness. Sedan chairs were Mr Stephen was unanimously appointed waiting for the party, which went at onco General Manager. The question of elect- into the city, preceded and followed by ing a consulting committee was referred to guards of honour composed of China an extraordinary meeting. Hr F. Honder- soldiers. con was re-elected auditor. The new manager, Mr Stephen, thanked the share- Their Royal Highnesses the Dake and holders for electing him. He said-Tahall Duches of Connegut did not call on H. E. try and do everything in my power for the the Viceroy as the time occupied in seeing takes the portfolio of Foreign Affairs, not good of the shareholders. You know we the lions of the City of Rame left no manhave been very impriumate in the past gin for complimentary visits. The party year. I need not say anything more about | risited the usual places that if Te (Grand andience with the Emperor yesterday, and that. And now opposition is very keen Tourists) are supposed to do, viz. the tire and proff; not so large as formerly, and storled pagoda, temple of Rice Genii, temeverything has been against as lately. ple of five hundred gods, do det Some During the past year there has been a time was spent in Sai Hing Kai, better general depression in trade, but siter a known perhaps amongst Luropeans as depression there is generally a reac- foreign atroot, where several proclases

H.M.S. Cordelia arrived at Manila on the

28th ultimo, from Hongkong. OUTWIED BOUND:-Ruysdact, February 28; THE Russian oruiser Admiral Korniloff left to day for Amoy, and the French gunboat Chasseur for Macao.

14; Glenorchy, Peninsular, 18; Shang- Monday being Easter Monday and a general holiday, there will be no issue of the China Mail.

French mail of Mar. 7th, left Singapore The Easter prize meeting of the Hongkong. on Thursday, April 3, at 8 p.m., and Rifle Association opened yesterday, when may be expected here on or about Friday, the 11th April. This packet firing was commenced at all the ranges. brings replies to letters despatched So far the meeting has been favoured with excellent weather and it presides to left Port Darwin for this port on the be resumed on Monday again, on which day the competitions terminate.

A MEETING of the Legislative Council will expected here on or about the 8th be held on Wednesday. The following are: the Orders of the Day :-

1. Financial Minutes. 2. Second reading of the Bill entitled Matins :- Process nal, No. 134; Easter The Hongkong Land Investment and Anthems, Humphreys; Proper Paalms, Agency Company Limited Ordinance, 1890. 3. Committee on the Vaccination Ordin-

4. Committee on the Magistrates Bill. (Tours); Kyrie, Schubert; Commu- 5. Committee on An Ordinance to smend tory, 127; Voluntary, 'I know that Gambling saloons are multiplying thickly

all over the colony, and as the law is so defective that a good lawyer can break down the best case, the police are unable to check the growth of the so-called clubs. One of the natural results of the flourishing gambling trade is an increase in the trouble experienced by Europeans in protecting their property from theattacks of their Chinese servants. A money-collector employed by the compradors of S. J. David & Co. disappeared the other evening with \$1,875, the amount of a bill he had collected. He was traced to several gambling houses, money, but he has as yet cluded the police. The police are investigating another case, the cause of which is probably similar. The Acting Ohief Justice, Mr Fielding Clarke, on returning from the Koshing theatre on Wednesday ovening, discovered that his house had been ransacked and a quantity of jewellery valued at \$300 had been stolen. A gardener, who had been refused leave, has disappeared, and suspicion falls on him. There have also been several cases of burglary during the week, probably due to the large inflox of undesirable visitors from Canton. The police caught one or two who they believe are implicated in the robberies, and to-day they laid their hands on one man whom they found in possession of part of the plunder of three

ed us, and we wish them God speed. On the occasion of the Sultana of Johore's visit to the Duchess of Connaught the Sultona presented Her Royal Highness with two handsome gold bangles, and some beautifulsarongs, wrapped in the usual yel-

low silk covering. THE Canadian Pacific Railway is organising some round-the-world excursions in steamers that are to start from Montreal, and

THERE has been a partial strike among the native washermen at Shanghai owing to the police having obtained convictions against some of them for wearing clothing given to them to wash. A gentleman who was affected by the strike anggests that the washermen should be licensed, so that the Municipal Council can have some hold upon

Ir is proposed as an incident of the 1892 World's Fair at Chicago to publish a volume (which will be a large one) containing contributions from representative authors of all the civilised nations of the world. The contributions are to be printed in the language of the authors and illustrated with their portraits. The authors are to receive free transit to Chicago and back, and be the gueste of the city while there. It is a stupendous ides.

THE DUKE AND DUCHESS OF

CONNAUGHT IN CANTON.

(From our Correspondent,) Canton, April 3rd. This morning the s. s. Hankow, flying the royal slandard and displaying a considerable amount of bunting, arrived about 10 o'clock worth as much now, a new opposition hav- as a guard of honour, consisting of blue ing been started. He rearcely thought the jackets and marines drawn up in the bund. business had carned the dividend that had The weather was somewhat unfortunate but been paid. The reserve fund of \$5,000 the covered way roved an efficient shelter. which had appeared in last year's accounts On landing the Duke and Duchess very had disapprared altogether. The Chair- graciously shook hands with the Rev. Dr. man said the disappearance of the reserve Wright, Editorial Secretary to the B. and fund was accounted for by the liabilities P. Bible Society, and Mrs Wright, who are being \$3,000 less and the accounts receive at present in Canton and were fellow-pas-

Canton, April 4, 1800.

tion, and I hope next year there will be an were made. The Doke and Dochess and improvement in trade and an improvement party dined at Consul Alabasters in the evening. The reception was bakk in the

Consular offices, where refreshments were provided. The rooms were tastefully decorated as becoming such an occasion. Owing to some, no doubt unavoidable delay the reception did not commence until about 10.30, an hour later than the time fixed.) This delay did not tend to sweeten the tempera of some of our republican and democratic felonds, but from all that we hear respecting the Duke and Duchess, we are sure they were not the cause of the doing. There was a large gathering of Americans, Gormans, Parsees and English, and all who went into the room were presented

The Duke and Duchess were very amicable and won golden opinions, by their courtesy and kindness, but at such an occasion it is impossible to please all, hence we brard a little grumbling as to the arrangement and general management The strain upon Consul and Mrs Alabaster must have been considerable, and when all the circumstances are remembered we don't think there is any reasonable ground for discontent.

Respecting the onthusiasm of the foreign community and especially the loyally of the Britishers in Canton we must say we were greatly disappointed. The landing was effected amidst the silonco and solemnity that are generally supposed to characterize a funeral. There was however some obsering when they departed, but an attempt to speed the parting guest after so cold a reception is to say the least a very That the English Ensign on Measrs Russell but credit on the British portion of the community. We hope their Royal Highnesses have not withstanding carried away That the gathering of the Grand Lodge in with them some pleasant reminiscences of their visit to Canton, and we wish them a hearty bon voyage. .

THE VISIT OF THE DUKE AND DUCHESS OF CONNAUGHT TO THE COLONY.

THE DEPARTURE.

The Duke and Duchess of Counsught arrived in Hongkong from Canton about eleven o'clock yesterday forencen: They went straight from the Hankow to the Governor's launch Victoria, which was alongside the Canton wharf, and proceeded on heard the P. & O. steemer Ancona which left shortly after noon for Shanghai. As the Ancong, dressed with flags and flying the royal ensign, passed, the sailors on board the English, Russian and French men-cf-war manned the yards. The Russian band played a few bars of 'God Save the Queen.' The strains were caught up by the bands of the Imperious, and three oheers were given for their Highnesses. The Duke, from all that we hear, favour ably impressed all who came in contact with him. One incident may perhaps illustrate the qualities that made him popular. On Wednesday afternoon, after the magning ceremony, the Duke and Duchess, accompanied by the Administrator, the Surveyer General, General Edwards and others, went to the termious of the Peak Tramway. Application was made for a special car, but as the arrangements would not permit of this steps were being taken to put out some Chinese and Indians who were in the car. The Duke, however, when he saw what was being done, requested the other passengers to be recalled, saying they had as much right to travel on the cur as he had. " And not only this, as the car was starting, he observed a lady and gentleman hurrying t eatch the car, and asked the driver to wait for them. Unfortunately, the royal visitors were miled a good view from the Peak the mist having descended before they reached the lop. They walked about, however, for about half an hour and then descended:

CORRESPONDENCE.

PROSPERITY. To the Editor of the 'CHINA MAIL.' Hongkong, April 4th, 1890. Sin - With reference to the remarks of the Acting Gordanor at the ceremony of laying the corner stone of the Praya Ruchmation, speaking of the prosperity of the Colony and the responsibility for the same -it would have been more satisfactory if thagentleman had gone a little further and pointed out into whose pockets this prospe-

rity has gone. If there has ever been worse times or more wide-spread ruin and distress in the place since its first settlement than at present, I should beglad to know when it was.

MERCHANT.

'FRAGRANT WATERS' MURMUR That H. R. H. The Duke of Connaught has come and gone, that he has taken sway with him a favourable impression of Hongkong, and he has left behind him a decide by pleasant remumbrance of his

That the Colony did its best to give the Royal visitora a suitable welcome, people of all nationalities working together with the one object in view.

That the landing was perhaps a little too exclusively official in its character, the commercial element having been almost ignored, and the proceedings might have been urranged better to meet the views of the community at large.

That the blunders committed in signalling. proved the necessity that exists for inprovement in that direction, though the Peak Man was not to blame.

That the Duke on landing could not have had a military guard of honour of finerboking men than the company of the Argyleand Sutherlands presented, and the salute which greeted him as he stepped upon Pedder's Wharf could not have been fired with more precision than it was by he imart little Battery of the Volunteer

That the fanding made a deep impression ion the Colestial mind, and I heard one Chinaman remark, on the Highlanders, That fashion closes Numbah One ; he can fighten very strong; Chinaman too

mucheo fear ho, Hi-yah !" That it is hardly fair to grumble when all went so well, but I must admit to a mo mentary twings of disloyalty at being an en'orced lord-in-waiting for three quarters of an hour outside Government

That the long wait before the reception may have given more zent to the recep-

That certain personages tried to prevent His Royal Highness from thaking hands with the people, but the Prince nevertheless gave pleature to a large number of residents by giving them a hearty shake of his Royal naud.

That he added greatly to the impriness of others by so doing, and certainly did not lessen his popularity thereby. That while Society continues as at present

constituted, and the uppermost rang of the ladder remains in the occupation of Royalty, a Proce of the Royal Family must have vast powers of gratifying the hearts of lieges by his frank and pleasing

That Prince Arthur knows his duty in this. respect will be generally samitted, and his performance of it goes to the credit of British Royalty.

That the rank and file of the people looked upon the Prince simply as the son of the venerable and worthy Queen Empress of whom they have heard so much.

That this was shown by a somewhat homely motto, Tell your Ma we are happy, which was displayed during the illuminations.

That it is to be regretted more care was not taken to include all the Praya Lotholders in the invitations to the laying of the Memorial Stone near the Cricket Ground.

That the arrangements otherwise appeared to have been carefelly made, even to the top hats and the alphabetical array to

That the beaming face of the Chinese Contractor after he had had the overwhelming honour of shaking harids with the Royal Duke, was one of the sights of the day. That the amount of Joss sidgin which has -been done ever that stone since the Doke tapped it and gave the contractor a 'shake' can be testified to by the nerves of residents in the vicinity. That H. H. the Administrator somewhat

P. Chater credit for all the good that has come to the Colony of late years, as there are several other names that might be mentioned with equal fitness. That the illuminations were perhaps more effective than people expected.

overshot the mark in giving the Hon. O.

doubtful compliment, that reflects anything & Co's Hong was not only a most effective display, but also a very delicate compli-

Freemason's Hall was a brilliant and impressive function. That the Freemasons can do two things well,-they can dispense Charity in a. quiet and offeetnal way, and they know

full well how to manage a pageant. That the Right Worshipful Brother of Connaught and Strathearn, who must have seen some of the best masonic gatherings in the world, was so taken aback by the display in the Masonic Hall here that the reply he had prepared was cast anide, and a speech more adequate to the occasion was given extemporaneously. That upon this successful meeting Mr C.

P. Chater, D.G.M., his officers, and the Brotherhood are to be heartily congratu-That the Chinese entertainment in the Ko-Shing Theatre must have been an uncom-

monly interesting event for the Royal visit 's, who enjoyed it amazingir. That the brilliant lighting of the theaire by menus of gas is a Western innovation, although it vastly increases the safety and comfort of the place.

That all the arrangements of the Committee were perfect-the actors were gorgeous the acrobate exceedingly clever, the din ner well served, and the postprandial eloquence short and aweet. That owing to the rain the procession was

not an unanalified encouse. That as many of the 'objects' were enve loped in oil-paper tied up with string the appearance was rather auggestive of parado of moist brown paper parcels. That if it could have been phonographed as well-as photographed, our Royal visitors might have had it in their power to give their friends at home a new rendering of the music of the aphress.

That the employment of young children these processions might be interdicted. That their positions are often extremely irksome, and when long continue

amount almost to torture. That the Duke-who bears perhaps more of a likeness to his father than any of the Royal Family-is a man of pleasant frank and open countenance, easy an frank in his manner, with a good pre sence, a clear head, undoubted capacity and infinite tact.

That I learn from those who ought to know that he is a hard-working and able officer in every sense, and is by no means the among the scions of Royal houses.

That their Royal Highnesses were both vastly pleased with their welcome in Hongkong and thoroughly enjoyed their That I hear the Duke expressed himself the effect that Hongkong was the most interesting place he had visited in his

travels, and was a credit to its inhabitanta and to the Empire, displaying, as it. had done, such marvellous proofs of onergy and enterprise. That it is to be hoped this energy and

enterprise are not exhausted, and that a greater reward will be seenred for them than has been obtained for some time

That the naval authorities are very reticent with regard to the operations of the

Ficet, and perhaps rightly so. That there are tales in circulation about a splendid piece of work performed by the Learder's men, viz. landing and scaling the cliffs to the South of Cape d'Aguilar, going by compass on a thick and dirty night across the bills to Shek-o. lowering one another down ravines and precipices, then stalking and capturing the officers, men and boats on goard in Shek-o Ber, and quistly rowing through the enemy's line in the morning in the captured boats, being taken for the real guard party that had been left originally

That the manoeuvres witness d by the Duke of Connaught in the Lycemoon were of great interest. That the Duke, who is no tin soldier but

knows his work well, saw the attack from one of the Forte. That the rush past the forts made by the Porpoise Severn, and Leander, was a very pretty sight, and the supposed condition of the ships after they got through the Pass from the fire of the big guns and the raking infantry fire of the Argyle and

Sutherland men, was not a happy onc. That our veritable 'Quen's weather' broke upon usin Hongkongabout an lour after the Ancora, with the Royal Visitors on board, entered the Lycamoon Pass on her

way to Shanghai. discussions that doub; exists in minds everthof amorts as to the fatal effects of earth-cutting.

That the supposed dangers may have bocome a gen-rally accepted fact without the matter ever having been the subject of roully ecientiti : investigation. That revertheless I have no curning desire to become a test case, and share with Mr l'imphreys his 'cave' as a summer

residence. -That our friends in Shanghar bave taken fright and charge the comparatively small quintity of granite that composes their very excellent roads as being the

cause of la grippe. That the Mixe I Court there, has interfered with a time-bonoured custom by firing washermen for wearing their employers

clothes at the wasi. That a preference is generally shown for

fluring policents, particularly if of a red That it seems somewhat rough on a hardworking, down-thedden class to need less-Ty expere them to the cold, cold blasts of a Shanghal winter.

SUPREME COURT. IN VICE-ADMIRALTY. Before His Honour Mr Justice Fielding Clarke, with Lieut. Lory, R. N., and Coptain

Scabury as Nautical Assessors. Saturday, April 5th. THE ANCONA-KUNG PAL

COLLISION CASE

SHING HONG BUN AND OTHERS T. S. S. ANCONA AND HER PREIGHT, AND THE AND O. S. N. CO. U. S. S. KUNG PAL. The hearing of evidence in these consolidated suits was resumed to-day. Mr W. Drummond, instructed by Mr Hastings (Mussrs Wotton and Deacon's Office), appeared for the plaintiffs (C. M. S. N. Co. Mr Francis, Q. C., and Mr Pollock, inatructed by Mr Godge (Messrs Johnson,

Stokes and Master's Office), being for the

defendants.

John White Boyd, superintendent engineer Kowloon Dooks, said-The windows of my house face the Lycinan Pass. Between 6 and 7 in the morning of 4th Docomber last I heard two short blasts by a ateamer and shortly after that a long one. On looking out I saw the Aucena going out, and making for mid channel. I saw she was trying to get clear of two junks that lay away to the North of my house and right in the Ancona's way. I also saw the Kung. and struck the Arcona. I saw the two vesselt together. About two or two and a half minutes elapsed between the two short. blasts and the long one. The Kung Pai appeared to be close to the land on the Hongkonz side when I first saw her. Her atern was about in line with the sandy beach on the Hongkong side of the Lyemus Pass. The collision took place as nearly as possible in the middle of the Pass. I mean in a line with the middle of the Pass. It

took place close to my house. By Mr Drammond-The sput where the collision took place is much nearer to the Kowloon shure than to the Hongkong

This c included the evidence. Mr Francis, in summing up, said the plaintiffs who were suing the owners of the Ancora for loss and damage on account of the cullision of 4th December last, had to show that the collision was due to some negligenco or mismanagement on the part of those in charge of the Ancona. onus of proof was upon them in the first instance. The owners of the Ancora defended themselves and also claimed against the owners of the Kung Pai to recover their entire loss, and before there could succeed in recovering they had to prove that the collision was due to some negligence on the part of the Kung Pai. There was also the question of contributory negligence to consider as regards both vessels. He would point out in the first place that both the pleadings and the opening speech of counsel for the plaintiffs were very mengre as regards facts. The only statement as to the locality in which the collision took place which had proceeded from the other side was that it took place off the Channel rocks, Lut whether north, south, east or west, or how far off, was left entirely in doubt. defendants; however, stated that it took place-and he autmitted that the evidence made it absolutely certain that it did take place-well on the south shore of the channel, and that the whole movements of the vessels up to the actual collison took place well on the other side of mid channel line. well on the south side of the fairway. - Taking the evidence of the different witnesses for the Ancona his Lordship would remem-

that the Kung par was hugging the south would be to repeat a nemurk made by his shore, and that there was no room for the Lordship that it was an exceedingly Ancora to pass with safety inside. His clumsy culinary operation. It was so badly ornamental nonentity so frequently found | Lordship would also remember that cooked— Capt, Clifford strongly insisted and His Lordship-So badly cooked that nomade it a conspicuous feature of his body could swallow it? case, that he kept in mid channel all the Mr Drummond said that at all events it time and was so anxious to keep there that must prove very indigestible. However, he insisted upon being in mid channel the evidence referred to was a very immawhen the Arabic passed them and even and terial and very minor part of the case. His chored in midchannel that morning. He friend's statement that the risk of collision. (counsel) could hardly expect to get from determined when the sneona starboarded Capte Clifford an admission that he was was a very startling proposition to mike to nearer the shore than mid-channel, but his the Court. His friend then complained of chief officer put the distance from the shore his (Mr Drummond's) opening as insuffiat three or four cables. The evidence by ciont, in which he differed from his Lordthe witnesses for the Kung Pai left the ship, who appeared to think it generous. motter doubtfol, to say the least of it. At all events it was generous as comwhile that of Capt, Jackson and Mr Boyd pared with his friend's own opening, fixed with the greatest possible accuracy because he did not open at all. He board. The Ancona was all the time on Mr Boyd. This was a witness on whom possibly be built on these lots which might Henry Corsor, Mr. Clarke, Mr. A. II. Renthe South side of mid-channel. She was his learned friend seemed to rely, and it be detrimental to the value of the Hotel ton, Mrs. S. T. Debuey, and the cidest running towards the mid-channel line but greatly surprised him (Mr Drummond) property and they bought the lots at public Miss Lacy. was on the South side of it the whole time, either that he called the witness or altemp- auction. That carried the Aus'in Arms ! Steerage! H. Ashforde & C. Carnerone I'e was quite prepared to admit that if it ted to rely on him for a moment. Mr property up as far as Umbrella Scat. It R. Dunn, John Davidson (from Melbourne), was re-somable or practicable the Anco a's Boyd had placed the collision at a spot was then thought desirable to purchase the T. Train, J. Murphy, W. Wrathall, Greproper and best course would have been to right away close to the Kowloon chere and crown of the hill so as to give us an out. | gory, and buly girl hamed Copland, have ported and passed the Kung-Pai port on the starboard side of the channel from look over both sides of the harbour. We Ship's company : Captain Sanders W. side to port side, but he submitted that such the Kung Pari as she entered the harbour. have arranged to cut this down to about Gray, chief officer; T. P. Bubb, third of For SHANGHAL. a course was not safe nor practicable as The witness positively asserted it was there, the level of the hotel, which ficer; D. Girvan, purser; J. Scott, second matters stood at the moment. The Ancona and in answer to him (counsel) emphasised will afford a promenude of very nearly an officer; C. J. Guy, fourth officer; W. was, in consequence of the Arabic passing it by saying it was much nearer the Kow- acre; everlooking the harbour of Victoria Robertson corpenter; J. A. Oats, C. E. her, too close to that shore alre dy. foon shore han the Hongkong shore, After on one side and the Ladrone islands on the Praise, J. Johnston, C. K. Sheill, A.B.'s If Capt. Madie had thought there was any the production of such a witness as that, he other side, commanding in every direction D. M. Kenzie, cook; E. M Qu'an, baker risk of a collision when the Kung per was failed to see how his learned friend could say most magnificent sea views. This, we and J. B. Slattard steerage steward first sighted he might either have stopped the collision occurred on the Hongkoog side think, will be an attraction in itself. The colored passengers were made up of and reversed or have gone across the other of the channel. It was quite clear that taken People can come and get a broath, of Javanese, Malays and Cinyalese, and of vessel's bows ; but he was satisfied that if as a whole the case must rest to a very fresh air during the het summer even these 56 were saved. Of the colored

if they wished to cook them they would to differ from him is foto. An editor improve the rold, for a road will now go This is more ex raordinary when it is winthave cooked them a great deal better. | once, referring to a brother journalist, straight from point or nearly so, ed a that at the time of the occurrence if they were men of any knowledge or skill, went counting along the shores of truth ground to the lintel. Taking all these ex. room, and of the deck hands a number had but these were simply statements made in keeping an eye on the promontories tensions into account, I turned in far four hours' rest. But this absolute ignorance, made recklessly and of probability, but that he launched boldly, think that the growitects were not far out melancholy incident has a heroic side. All carelessly. If the Captain and his officers out upon the cean of lies trusting to his in their original catimate for what was then the engine ra periched. That tells of a That ever since the foundation of the had shown that they were powered of any wit and his unbounded mendacity. Far intended to be done. When all is finished mobile performance of date. It was the Settlement at has been their custom in knowledge of their profesion or any be it from him to say that to the Captain I think you will have one of the finest he duty of these m in to stand by the engines the cold weather to temporarily amore intelligence they would have cooked three of the agent or his officers the latter part | tele not only in the Far Eat, but in the and they remained at their jost and perentries better, but he submitted that all of the description could be applied, but he whole world. Chr mo-lithegraphs have isked. three men showed themselves in the box to was afraid he must say that the captain had been taken from drawings prepared by The Sydney Balletin says :- On Friday The evidence of the latter wilnesses was that difference in the s'atements he had written hotel and to make it as do milerab e and as dr pp. danohor at night rather than face the 1000

the Ancong starboarded at a distance of half | twice in letters and these which he attractive as possible. I think that our unknown dangers of that perilous sea.

he did not observe se soon as he would the answer was given as promptly as pos- small dining-room capable of sitting

asked that the suit against the discona be which he mayigated ought to be held en- meets with your approva! I think that dimissed, while in regard to the counter- tirely free from blame. claim he asked the court to pronounce the Kung pai entirely at fank. Mr Drummond in reply said he would in the first instance refer briefly to the points which had just been raised, and then proceed to deal with the case as a whole from his own sand-beint. With reference to the question whether this was a narrow channel or not, his friend at the outset said that this was to be considered narrow channel and that as a matter of fact the plaintiffs in the original suit having placed their vessel in a wrong position weru not entitled to recover. That appeared at first to be his main contention, but his whole argument was that it was not a narrow channel, and therefore the main

arguments he had addressed to the court appeared to be directed to a complete reversal of his own position: As to his friend's remarks about evidence on the No questions, were asked and on the 38min. 10sec; E. At this point the soundper that every one of them went to show, other side being cooked, all he would say

counts were adopted.

directors. 1 4.

the re-election of Mr Blaitland.

the other side, and therefore regarding this spot where the collision occurred had been I roperfy, itself was has than half the size as a narrow channel, as the Kung Pui marked by several witnesses on the it is now. Originally it was not intended

red to, the evidence given for the Kung pai a very important matter to consider the this land, that we might as well clear it these la emped with their lives. monopoly of veracity and accuracy for of a tennis lawn. This extension will give former 30 only are now alive; while of 164 His Lordship-I can't help thinking that his side, and he regretted to have us three large tonnis courts and will greatly of the latter not less than 128 survived. Mr Francis said he would expect that wrote that he was not one of those who and the grass lawns will make a grand fore there was a watch on duty in the engine-

a mile from the Kung-Pain ample and saf- made in the box also showed that means will enable us to do this if Now, over-confidence and long immunity ficient time to have taken her clear out of the he was economising the truth. The we include our debeuture capital from accident have led to the steamers way of the Kung-Pai by grossing her bows, same datement as appeared in these. The directors think that, doing this thing being run at full speed night and day. The and the collision was entirely caused by the latters appeared in the unswer to theroughly in the way we have done or are Quette was manued by a Javanese crow. wrong mandenvre of the Kung-l'ai, because the petition, and within a short time after proposing to do it will command the support | These men, sleeping just under the forein porting then she made the collision ab- that the Captain in the witness box stated of not only the community here but of bastle, clad in a couple of cotton garmentse solutely cortain. Although it might be something quite different. In doing this people all over China and the Philippine | would naturally have the lirst chance at the alleged as negligence on the part of Capt. the Captain had performed an operation Islands who desire a change but cannot boats, and by the received accounts they Mudio, he was perfectly justified in the akin to that against which a warning was afford the time to proceed to Europe for it, took full advantage of it, and there was no circumstances in putting the King Pai utteredintheinjunction neverto swop horses There will be at least 54 bedrooms in the room to be found for struggling Europeans out of his mind and attending to the two while crossing a stream. As to the Captain Hotel. Each bedroom will have its own women or men. Wo do not say that white junks. Mr Collier, one of the witnesses for of the Kung-Pai he had been able to bath-room outside of it crews have not at times acted in as cowardly the Ancona, had stated that he thought the discover nothing he had given in evidence of a corridor; and the a manner under the influence of panic, but, helm was put hard a starboard for the pur- which differed from any previous statement bedroom itself will have its own verandah as a rule, certainly not. The first thought pose of clearing the two junks, which or which was repudiated or impogned. As with a perfectly uninterrupted view. No an inculcated in a white sailor is the preshowed that at that time there was no a paper navigator he would not perhaps hoyance will be occasioned to the residents servation of the women and children, it is danger of a collision. Captain Madio rank very high, but there was nothing to by the servants being crowded within the the last that occurs to the Asiatic. The took the proper course to avert danger and show that his evidence had been untruthful building. Their quarters are across an late of the passengers by the Quetta is one there was no further duty or obligation or unreliable in any particular point, open space on a level with the first floor to take warning by, resting on him. Extraordinary vigilance on a comparison of the evidence of the two approached by a bridge. They can thus was not expected. He could not provide captains he ventured to think that the attend to the bath-rooms &c., without going sgainst any por the accident or chance or evidence of the captain of the Kung at through the corridors. In addition to nece of mismanagement on the other was at least entitled to greater credence this there will be several small ressel. It would probably be alleged than that of the captain of the Ancona. Bro- rooms, which can be used as private dining against him that he did not stand on the ceeding to review the avidence given by the rooms, or they can be let as private drawing starboard side and watch the Kung Pai witnesses for the Anona with regard to that froms, or if accessary they can be convertantil he naw her clear of him, but it was vessel itself, he referred in the first place ted into bedrooms. There will be a very not necessary for him in navigating his to the statement of Capt. Mudie, that he large dining hall, the size of St. Anvessel to provide against every possible haver heard nor saw any answer to the two draw's Hall, if anything rather larger, action on the part of somebody else. blasts of the whistle by the nome, while improrted on very handsome iron columns. Occupied by the danger on his port side the evidence showed, he submitted, that Attached to that or adjoining it will be a bave done if his mind was not otherwise lible. The evidence with regard to the haps 49 people for private dinner parties. came across towards the Arcona, while sugged the effect of the Kung Pai's and two junks supplied the key to the whole. There will also be a grill room in the the Angona was going round to starboard. den porting, but having deno what as a case, because it was clear that they had Western wing, and the usual out offices matter of navigating at ill and seamanship diverted his attention entirely from the and storercoms and a thoroughly well fitted was all that was required under the cir- Kung Pai. Capt. Madie stated that the in- kitchen. Below this will to wine vaulte, cumstances he was rightly and properly at- | cona cleared the junks. That in plain Eng- | jee rooms and store-rooms, which will be tending to the second danger. He (Mr lish meant that she did not touch either of on an even temperature throughout the Francis) could only guess what course his these junks, but he admitted himself that whole year, I should think. I might have friend on the other side was going to adopt. they carried away the stern railing of one said that the entrance to the servants' The usual practice in this sourt was that of the junks. There could be no doubt quarters passes underneath the hotel, havthe whole care was fully explained in the that Captain Mudis knew what side he had ing the wine vaults, and store-rooms on eiopening speech, but as that was not done in | to pass the Kung pai on, and it was evident | ther side. I think this will be a great comthis instance he would have no oppo-tunity he intended to pass her on the inside when fort and convenience to the residents. of saying anything with regard to the course his attention was directed to the two jauks. There will be ample place without blocking his friend might adopt, or the arguments. When he went hard-a starboard-he was up the hotel anywhere for chairs and conhe might put forgard. He assumed, how- actually nearer the Hongkong there then lies to put up while the visitors are in the ever, that his friend would at the close of the Kung pai, he knew the rule was for him botel. In addition to this there will be his reply refer incidentally to the fact that to pass inside and therefore that the Kung a very nicely furnished drawing room. he relied on the rule applying to what he pai would expect to pass outside. The billiard room, bar and smeking room, a called 'agony cases.' It was impossible for course he adopted was the very worst of barber's shop and the usual offices of the him to take any other position as the hung the three within his option that he could manager and employees of the Holel Pai was honolessly in the wrong. But have chosen. After fariewing the evidence I think, when the whole thing is finished. even if he did take that position, the 'agony | wenerally at considerable length, Mr. Drum- you will find that your money has been well if the moment would not account for mond submitted that on my single ground spont. Of course gas and water will be the action of the Kung Pai. She was from | sould my charge be successfully maintained | laid on, and there will be telephonic comthe beginning to the end entirely in fault in against the Kung part for anything she did. munication with all parts of the Colony. being on the south side of the mid-channel Captain Cliff rd could do nothing else than We do not intend to permanently retain line. That essentially contributed to the he did thrown as he was into a position of the Orange property. The houses will be collision. He did not my it was the pro- extreme danger, without warning. All he let with or without option of purchase to Capital. rimate cause, but it was the main cause. | could do was to lessen the force of the the tenants, and as soon as they can be dis-The Sucona was fully justified in thinking blow. If he had starboarded, the ships posed of at a prefit they will be sold, and that she could pass ahead of the other would have met on opposite courses and we shall confine ourselves as far as possible tessel seeing there was no room to pass probably both would have sunk. Consider- to the business of the Hotel. You will see inside. Therefore the Ancoin was not in ing the whole of the circumstances he did by the report the new arrangement for the any way to blame for the collision, and as- the right thing at the right time-the only conduct of the business, and as no objecthe entire blame was with the Kung pai he thing he could do-and he and the ship tion has been raised to that I suppose it

closes the business of the meeting.

THE QUETTA DISASTER.

THE LOCALITY OF THE WRECK.

His Lordship said he would consult with the Assessors before giving judgment.

THE AUSTIN ARMS HOTEL AND BUILDING COMPANY LIMITED.

With reference to the locality of the wreck of the Quetta, the following is a copy The ordinary general meeting of the of a telegram received by the Postmaster- Jeffries. Austin Arms Hotel and Building Company General, Brisbang, from the pilot in was held at noon to-day. Mr J. D. charge :- Thursday Island. Pilot Kent-Humphreys presided, and there were also ing gives the approximate bearings of the resent :- Messrs E. L. Woodin, G R. rock as follows :- York Island west by Stavens, H. Humphreys, J. H. Talbot, F. south, Brothers slightly open south-east Stapleton, A. H. Mahcell, E. K. Chandler, three quarters east. If these hearings are correct, the rock

Jupp, W. E. Clement and H. Heyn. The Chairman-The report has been in upon which the Quette struck is about 2 your hands for some time, also the state | miles to the castward of Mid Ruck, and ment of accounts, and with your permission about 1 mile south-west from Cambridge they will be taken as read. If any gentle- Point, on the largest Mount Adolphus Isman has any questions to ask I shall be land, the exact geographical p sition being lat. 10deg. 40min, 10sec. S., long. 142deg.

motion of the Chairman the report and ac- ings, on the Admiralty chart show 13 The Chairman orol osed that Messrs E. course recommended by the Admiralty.

L. Woodin and G. R. Stevens be re-elected | Captain A. Saunders, master of the Mr Leigh seconded and the motion was vessel, and to all intents was a stranger on the coust. His last visit to Que rishad

The Chairman said that Mr Mancell, was about three years ago, when he had being on the direction of the company, did command of the Rajportusa, one of the not wish to act as audit r. He proposed of mpany's aux liary steamers. Pilot Keating has been a considerable time in the Mr Woodin seconded and thomotion was service of the Government, and has always been regarded as a competent and pains. On Calcutta-The Chairman-As for as I know this taking officer. It appears that both he concludes the business of the meeting, and the captain are assured that the rock If any shareholder desires any information upon which the steamer struck has never more than is given in this report, I shall be been charted. Pilot Keating have been pleased to furnish it now or at any-other through the passage many times, and has time. It is not usual for the Chairman to probably good grounds for the statement. pass my remarks without their having first | Brisband, Monday, 3rd March. Today been submitted to and approved by his co- the city of Brisbane has upon it the gloomthe line on which the collision occurred, therefore ventured to say he stood directors, but I think, with your permis- which follows a great calamity. From all There two witnesses were looking at it on as good a footing as his learned aion, I may just my a few words. I know the ships in port, and from the public and from different points and they had placed friend in this respect, and thought he would that the other directors will be in accord private buildings flags have been flying the scene of collision on the chart about the not be very far wrong if he said he stood on with what I have to say. The work has half-mast, and meny of the principal shops same point. The importance of this was a very much better one. Subsequently his been pushed on with all possible despatch. in Queen Street were draped in black. that it showed the collision took place to friend had intirely reversed the position of I do not think that the cost of the Criefta disaster has been almost the the South of the midchannel line and that the parties before the court on the applie will be much in excess of the estimates as only subject of convention since the the whole of the mar couvres of the Kung ation of cases which hacited. Many of the far as they go. The estimate of cost does news was first received on Saturday Pai must have taken place still further to eases did directly apply to the present one, mit juchale interest on money, but with evening, and the latest particulars have the South. Therefore she must have been but in a way exactly opposite to that in that exception and one or two little charges. been awaited with intense anxiety. The close to the land off Quarry Point. It was which he applied it. This was ingenious which of course could not be foreseen, I decuest sympathy is felt for those upon whom alleged for the Kung Pai as the very es- and bold, but it was a species of mental think that the estimate was a very fair one such a sudden beforement has fallen, and sence of her case that she was on the right gymnastics which the court would be en- and approximately correct. In respect to lowing to the unusually large number of side of the channel ou the North side, while tirely unable to follow. Coming new to the Hotel Company the estimate was for a Brisbane prople on board the illisted res it was now proved that she was well over on deal with the evidence, commed said the building less than h If the size, and the sel there is mourning in many homes here. alleged it was, she was in point of fact navi- chart, and his friend had made a great to cut down the whole of the land and lay Brisbane, Tuceday, 2.30 A.S. - The followgating in a place where she had no busi- struggle to show that it was at an out the whole of the grounds, but your ing is the latest available list of Europeans ness to be. If it was a narrow channel she entirely new spot which did not agree dir clies came to the conclusion, when two saved from the Quette, but it is uncertain ought to have come in on that side of the with any of the witnesses on that point he lots adjusting your hotel property were put jet whether this is complete :-mid-channel line which lay to her star- must refer his Lordship to the evidence of up to anction, that some property might Saloon passengers: Miss Nicklin, Mr.

the Kung pai kept her course there could great extent on the two witnesses who were in s and get all the benefit of a change portion of the crew, numbering 0% all be no collision, and it was the alteration in charge of each ship respectively. That of climate. Then, in cutting this down, natives of India, 72 were saved. Of 93 all of the bung part course which brought it was always so in cases of this nature; and of course we fill up the low-lying land European passingers 15 only have been about. With regard to the times that had in this case these winerses happened to to the South of the Hotel; and it rescued. The white portion of the crow elapsed between the various incidents refer be the two captains. It therefore became appeared to us, as we were reclaiming numbered 29, including the pilot, and of was utterly unreliable, as it was av dent that respective credibility of these two wit- to give a frontage to the Hotel and a place Dividing the ship's company Into two the log book and stand by book had been nesses. His learned friend had claimed a of amusement for the residents in the shape parts, white and coloured, of 127 of the

be extremely ignorant. If his Lordship done a little consting along the shores of Meurs Danby & Leigh. These will arrive night last, three minutes after striking or therefore bould not give cordence to these truth, and he west the bul failed aboutly and they will be distributed along an ancharted ruck, the Chetter a fine mail. statements as to time, or the Captain's to keep his eyes on the promontories of the different coast ports of China in activist content belonging to the British India parsistant statement that he was always in probability. In some of his statements, as able places, where they will efford perman. Company, sent down into the depths and mid-changel, what weight doubt he give to for instance with regard to the speed of the entadvertisements with a view to attract 160 ives were lost with her. Some years those statement of their which were remed being seven knots instead to the part. Every tertion will ago all mallateamers running up the coast bontradicted by Capt. Mindle and his officers he economis diversarily years reversely. The be made by the directors to a implete the between the Barrier rest and the main land

CHINESE INSURANCE COMPANY, LIMITED (IN LIQUIDATION.) The following is the moort of the Liquidators up to the 31st December. 889, for presentation to the Shareholders at the General Mosting to behold at the Head ! Office of the Company at Hongkong, on 7 Thursday, 10th April, 1800 :-The Liquidators have now to submit to the Shareholders a Statement of Accounts. showing the Result of the Winding up of the Company up to the 31st December. 1889, so far as accordanced, viz., a Ba-

lance at Dubit of Working Account of This result, it will be noticed, has been

caused chiefly by the disastrons runningoff of the 1887 Underwiting Account, and partly by the failure of the principal Re-Insurers of the Company Underwriting was discontinued from the time the Liquidation was decided upon, and all outstandings, as farms possible roinsured-but the running-off of policies, and the presentation of claimsmore especially Goneral Average claims from distant parts-naturally take a long

The Liquidators have no reason to exnect any considerable addition to the abjount at Debit of Working- Account, but they fear that there is little prespect of a

The Liquidation of the Company is now practically completed, with the exception of that of the London Branch, the duration which it is difficult to foresed and for this reason, the Liquidators do not see their way as yet to make any repayments of

The question of economy has had the most careful attention of the Liquidators. and with a view to further lessen expenses. they have under consideration the advisbility of reducing the number of Liquidators both here and in London-to which and a proposal will be submitted to the Shareholders at the Meeting. In the meantime they have to record the resignation of Mr. Fung Tang, some months ago. It is with great r got that the Liquida---tors have to lay such unsatisfactory results. before the Sharcholders. The Accounts have been audited, as,

usual, by Mr. Thos. Arnold and Mr. H. U. F. DOUWELL. Sr. C. MICHAEISEN | Liquidators. O. P. CHATER

Exchange.

Hongkong, April 5th, 1899. HOPGEONG, April 5 On London-Bank, Wire. 30 days' sight 4 mouths sight. Documentary, 4 months sight 3/28 fathoms, and it is right in the track of the On Parle-Credits, 4 months sight, Quette, was making his first vovage inshe On Berlin-On demand. ... On New York -On demand, ... Cradita, 60 days' sight On Bombay-Wire, ... On demand. On dimand. &

POST OFFICE NOTICES. MAILS will close:-For SAIGON .-

Per N. S. ce Loreto, at 9 a.m., on Eunday, the 6th inst. Per Albany, at 9 a.m., on Sunday, the Gth inst. Per Dorset, at 9 a.m., on Sunday, the

6th inet. For SHANGHAL, KOBE & YOKOHAMA Per ("Dack, at 9 s.m., on Sunday, the For HULLOW, TOURON & QUINE N.-I'er Activ, at 9 am., on Sunday, the

For SHANGH I -Per Ningpo, at 9 r.m., on Sunday, the For NEWCHWANG -Perdagraban, at 9 u.m., on Sunday, the

For SOURABAYA. Per Chaysang, at 9 a.ro., on Monday. the 7th just. For STRAITS & LONDON.

Per Ningchow, at 9 a.m., on Monday. the 7th inst. For SalGON. Per Muke Maru, at Da.m., on Monday. the 7th inst., instead of as previous-

ly notified. Per Benlawers, at 9 a.m., on Monday, . the 7th inst. Per Ca ton, at 9 a.m., on Monday, the

7th inst. A. 8. WATSON & Co., LIMITED.

TO ALL WHOM IT MAY CONCERN. ATOTICE is hereby given that A. S.

WATSON & Co. LIMITED CATTYING ON BUSINESS at the HONGKONG DIS-PENSARY, Victoria, in the Colony of Hongkong, and in many other Ports and ulaces in China and elsewhere, have registered in the said Colony their Trade-marks as solied to Menouses, Proprierony Auticles. Æsaten Waters, Perfumes. WINE , SPIRITS, LIQUORS, CIGARS and other Anarctes apper aining to the Business in its vai us Branches, and also as to the Lubels Wrappers, Brands, or Marks affixed . to the same, and that if any infrincement or colourable imitation of the a me be made! or attempted to be made by any Person or Persons, the said A. F. Warson & Co. LIMITED, will immedidate y take legal proceedings for an injunction to restrain him or them from alliging, or procuring, or causing, or allowing to be affixed to anv hottles, or b xes, or otherwise using, or o ploying, or permitting to be used, ar omployed any labels, wrat pers, brands, be marks used by the said A. S. WATSON & Co. Limited, and also to obtain damages in res oct thereof. Dated this 14th day of May, 1889.

WOTTON & DEACON. Sullei for for the said

A. S. WATSON & Co. LIMITED

THE DWINDLING RUPLE. I came to India quite a boy, My health was good, my life a joy, No cloud my happiness could nor, For the ruped was then at par.

In love I fell with Jessie Deane, And non her for my blushing queen, (Finance was not so brilliant then, Ruped had changed to one-and ten).

Still on we struggled, she and I ... To lay a little moury by. But then more bitter graw our fate, Rupos went down to one-and-sight,

Our bay and girl were treasures both; To send them home we'were full loth. When just to put us in a fix. Rupees climbed down to one-and-six.

Now we are five - we may be more, But with rupees at que and four, ... We'volittle else to to chez nous, But wait until they've one-and-two.

CHINESE TUSTICE.

THE OPINION OF A NATIVE PAPER. As compared with the procedure of occidental courts of justice in criminal cases, that of Chinese counts is characterised by far greater saverity in the method of cliciting evidence, as well as in the forms of

"STOCKS.

Banks.

Hongkong & Shanghal Bank-)

Ing Corporation

Canton, Limited J

North China Insurance Co., Ld. 1863 L

Yangtazo Insur. Association, Ld. 1882 £

Chinese Insurance Co., Ld., 1871.3

China Fire Insurance Co., Ld. 1870 S.

Struits Fire Insurance Co., Ld. 1886.8

Fire Insurances.

Fire and Marine Insurances.

Hongkong, Canton & Macao

Indo-China Steam Navigation

Steam-boat Co., Limited

Co, Limited

Douglas Steamship Co., Ld. .. 1883 8

China & Manila S. S. Co., Ld. 1882 8

Steam Launch Company, Ld. .. 1888'S

China Sugar Refining Co., Ld. 1878 8

Luzon Sugar Refining Co., Ld. 1882 8

Refineries.

Lands and Trusts.

Hongkoug Land Investment &)

Kowloon Land and Building

Agency Company, Ld. ..

Coppany, Ld.

ways Company, Limited

(d) Salama Tin Mining Con-

pany, Limited,

mantan Mining Co., Ld.

bonnages du Tonkin

Planting, &c.

(a) Songei Koyah Planting Co., Ld. 1888 3

China-Borneo Company, Limited 1888 & (a) Labuk Planting Co., Limited 1889 \$

(a) Darvel Bay Trading Co., Ld. 1889 8 (b) H. G. Brown & Co., Limited 1889 8

(a) The Lamag Planting Co., Ld. 1889 &

Hongkong Hotel Co., Limited ... 1866 S

Peak Hotel & Trading Co., Ld. 1869.8

West Point Building Co., Ld. .. 1889,8

Shameen Hotel & Land Co., Ld. 1889 8

Richmond Terrace, Estate and 18898

Hongkong & China | old issue 1864

Hongkong Electric Co., Limited 1889.8

Hongkong Brick and Cement 1886 \$

Green Island Cement Company 3 1889 \$

Gas Co. Limited | new ,

Iron Foundries.

Geo, fenwick & Co, Limited

A. G. Gordon & Co., Limited,

Brick and Cement.

Company, Limited

Limited,

Hougkong Ice Co., Limited 1881

H'kong & China Bakery Co., Ld. 1872 \$

HK. Rope Manufactory Co., Ld. 1883 S Dairy Farm Co., Limited 1886 S

Campbell, Moore & Co., Limited 1886 & Marisburk Furniture Co., Ld. 1889 \$

Loans to Imperial Chinese Government.

Chinese Imperial Covt. Silver Loan 1884 C

Chinese Imperial Covt. 7 per Cent.
Silver Loan 1886 E

Hongkong Hotel Co. Mortgage Debentures 1889

Miscellanous.

Building Company, Ld.

A. S. Watson & Co. Limited

Cruichshank & Co., Limited

Hotels, Building, &c.

Austic Arms Hotel & Building }

Bornes Hotel & Stores Co., Ld.

Company, Limited

East Borneo Planting Co., Id.

Sociaté Francaise des Char-

(e) Imuris Mines, Limited

Trusta Loan Co. of China &c. , Ld. 1889 £

Hongkong High-Lovel Tram-

Mining.
c) The lalmoral Gold l'ing Co., Ld. 1889 S

d) Jelobu Mining & Trad. Co., 14. 1889 8

Punion & Sunghie Due Sa- 1 1885.3

Marine Insurances.

Union Insurance Society of

of justice. Blows with the bamboo to the for the defence refuted, and every loop hole promptitude in judgment, by a resert to the number of thousands in some cases; scourge for escape desed one by one. ings of hundreds of cuts; compressing of . the temples with string till the head is on the way of introducing the foreign system

sidered useful means of obtaining evidence. Put a man in the boot, says the grim old adage, fand you will got answers to everyteriores now employed toexf rt a confession are by no monns limited to the book. One of the most severe is that of the tient ping kia (天本型) a frame on which the sufferer is made to kneel for long periods with body and arms widely distended and all the weight coming on the knees; in some cases a pole being laid on the hamstrings on which men are ordered to stand,

in order to increase the pain. The ankles

are also sometimes broken by repeated

blows of a club. The whole system is considered by foreiguers as an enormity, and a reproach to

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150,000 3,000\$

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Agents for the Loan.

Time Bargains during Current Week.—Banks, 202 % prom. June. Balmoral, \$14 June. China Sugari, \$222, June.

30,000

12.000

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Memo. of Mestings, Calls &c .- What Co .- Annual Meeting, 10th inst.

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1,500,000 1,500 \$ 1,000 \$ 200 \$

1807 8 2,500,000 10,000 \$

China Traders' Insurance Co., Ld. 1865 8 2,000,000 24,000 8 83.33 8

Canton lusurance Office, Ld. .. 1881 \$ 2,500,000 10,000 \$

Straits lusurance Co. Ld. 1886 \$ 3,000,000 30,000 \$

Hongkong Fire Insur. Co., Ld. 1868 3 . 2,000,000 8,000 8

Singapore Insurance Co., Ld. .. 1884 S 4,00 ,000 40,000

Docks and Wharves.

H'kong & Whampon Dock Co., Ld. 1866 S 1, 562,500 12,500 \$

Hongkong & Kowlood Wharf } 1886 S 1,000,006 20,000 \$

& Godown Co., Limited }

There are, however, great difficulties in the verge of bursting; their are all con- of taking evidence in China. The country is so vust, that accused and witnesses have sometimes to be brought to our tribunals from scores of miles away; and if allowed to return to their homes for an adjournment, it would be many days before they could all be collected again. In foreign countries, with their smaller population, and careful registration, it is comparatively easy to finda witness when he is wanted. Our pao kiak

(保甲) system, good as it is in intention, has become effete and almost useless for eiguers as an enormity, and a represente (重房, 龍房), and to continue right on a civilised nation; and its continued exist.

'never committed; for before the Western ble ; and the judge, who has perhaps many Porture is still employed by Chinese Magis- judge pronounces sentence, every point has other cases awaiting his attention, is glad to

DIVIDEND.

Amount.

80/ and 10/ bonus for)

231,343.91 20 per each 35 p. ali, for | Sept. 10, 89,872, nom.

-Th. 26.82 and

14 p.c. for 1888, 10 p. cent. int. div. 1839

(10 % for 1888, 5)

paid 1/10/89

% int. div. 1889,

303,349.20 \$23 p. sh. for 1888 Feb. 25, 90 \$365, sales

244,035.53 | \$3 p. sh. to a/e yr. 89 | Feb. 25, 90 \$85, sellers = 30 per cent. per year | 54 per cent. for 1888 | 43 per cent. mt. div. | feb. 20, 90 \$18, ex div. | to a/e 1889.

230,125.08 { 52°/, for yr. end- } April 27, 89 \$15, nom. at 31/12/88 { ing 31 Dec. 1887 }

29,968.02 | 5 p. c. for 0 m. ending | Feb. 25, 90 53 % prem.

2,755.25 (2) pr. cent. int. div. on July 27, 89 \$83, sellers for 6/m end. 30/6/89.

29,440 92 (7 per cent, div. and 1) reb. 1, 90 \$321, sellers

2,461.66 | 16 per cent. \$8 p. ah. | Mar. 10, 90 \$105, nom.

11,873.95 825 pershare for '89 Mar. 7, 90,8215, buyers

143.22 \$3 per share for '89 Mar. 7, 90 886, buyers

801,04 { 8ms. to 31/12/89 } Jan. 24, 90,598, sellers

7. buyers

5 % dis., buyers

£65, nominal

\$200, nom.

\$13, buyers

331, sellers

nom.

\$50, sales

nom.

840, nom.

\$20, nom.

815, nom.

\$30, nom.

3 % dis., nom

pril 1, 90|253

Mar. 4, 90 \$200, non.

Oct. 1, 89 845, sellers

Feb. 24, Bolpar, nom.

Feb. 22, 90 \$101, burers

ug. 1, 89810, nom.

Rale of Interest.

\$8. nom.

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ing 31 Dec. 1888

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1,398.10,7 % for 1889

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ing 31/12/89

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5 % for 6m. end-

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Par Value of Bonds

Shanghai Taela 250.

285.81 10 % for 1889

\$90,25|6 % int. div.

for year to 30/11/89

\$1,594,700.14 H'kong Currency. \$300 H'kong Currency.

Amount of Loan.

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(*) Equalisation of Dividend Fund. (+) Depreciation and Insurance Fund. (1) Founder's Shares (a) East Borneo. (b) Philippines. (c) Sydney, N. S. W. (d) Straits. (c) Moxico.

Chinese Imperial Covt. Silver Loan 1884 B Banking Corporation } 11,394,700.14 R'kong Currercy. \$500 R'kong Currency. \$2 per annum 30 June each year until 1890

Shanghai Tis. 767, 200.

i 6) per cent. per unn. | Jan. 24, 90 \$15, nom.

10 per cent. for year Apr. 17, 89 1130, nom.

24 p.sh. for year end-ing 31/12/88 Feb. 26, 89 875, nom.

1,290.74 | 14 percent for 1888 on | April 14, 69 82 0, nom.

1,081.63 [Int. div. 7 % to] Nov. 5, 89 \$22; sellers

1,082.62 Tot div. of 51 p. ah. for fin July 31, 89 par, nom.

Cr. \$1,977.24 to 30/6

61°/-for yr. end- } June 13, 89 10% dis., ...

| sept. 23, 89 260, seliers

When paid.

| 1 yr. to31/12/69 at 8/12 | Frb. 24, 90 194 % prem.

94 per cent. for 12 m. } Jan. 18, 89 Tls. 93, sales

3 per cent, for 1 yr. to 31/12/0 in all 6 per cent for 1887

Position PER LAST REPORT.

At credit of

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141,310.47

30 June 89

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estimated to

to 31 Dec. 1888

SHARE LIST.—QUOTATIONS.

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trates to extort confessions from prisonen been fought out by lawyers, every argument | acquire a reputation with his superiors for swift stern mode of the question forte et dure with a criminal of whose guilt he is morally convinced. The Imperial Government, while far from approving of a system whose defects have been proved by some lamentable examples, do not see their way, under the circumstances of the country, to substituting a batter. It is to these causes, rather than to any fancied greater difficulty in eliciting true answers from Chinese than from foreign witnesses without resorting to such means, that the continuance of judicial

in China, is to be nacribed. As regards punishments inflicted after conviction, the present dynasty have introall practical purposes. The ti-pao is the duced a far greater lenity in this respect person of whom the authorities now than any of their predecessors. History really rely to produce a witness; and fells of tearing to pieces by carte; of sawthere is so much danger of his taking ing aunder; of whole families and even bribes to allow a witness to abscord, that | class involved in the punishment of death the officials prefer to keep witnesses safely for the offence of one of their members. looked up in the gih fang and being fang Wrotches were flayed alive, or pricked slowly to death with as many woulds as ence in China's one of the principal surviv. with each case day after day with no ad- all these terrors, leaving only the ling g'hi als from the past to which they point as journment or remands. The witnesses, decapitation, and strangling as the three justifying the claims to apperiority which who cannot but detest this durance, although death punishments in descending scale. they themselver put forward. No foreigner is is emphemistically called fan sie, (food- Foreigners have only hanging, which is

Hongkong, Saturday Noon, 5th April, 1890.

Closing.

April 27, 89 Tls. 3621, sales

April 1, 159,8221, sales

torture before, and to obtain, conviction,

fish has scales. The To Tsings swept away that he has been intimidated into confession and rest, post, are glad, as a general rule, something like the third of these; and of a mindementour or a crimo which he to see the case concluded as soon as possi- otherwise called the six swords (lub tao,

CASIF QUOTATIONS.

(For Time Bargains see memo. at foot).

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DURING CURRENT WEEK.

Lowest.

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In punishments coming short of the penalty, the Chinese criminal is hardly worse off than the foreigner. These punishments are in China, two forms of banishment, the t'u (#) measured by time and the lin () by distance; two forms of corporal punishment, the chi (23) light bamboo, and the chang (heavy and the punishment is over . From the delivery may be obtained.

meturn is rarely possible; but if, as some notice to the contrary be given before imes happens, an amnesty permits the Noon To-DAY. exile to come back, he has, although his old neighbours may give him the cold thoulder, still the chance of leading a happy life in another part of the country where no stigma attaches to him. Although Western countries, the publicity given to it by the poliso reports in the newspapers, places the foreigner in even a worse postion than the Chinaman, when the term of panishment is over. We think therefore that foreignes have much stronger grounds for reproaching us with a lower civilisation than theirs, when they point to our system of judicial terture to extort confessions, than when they base their claim to a higher on the greater mildness of their punishments of convicted criminals. To orr. on the side of severity was, moreover,

mency; a Covernment that would hold the balance straight, must never forgive 無赦之國,其政必平) -Leader in Shén Pao, 20th March, 1890, translated by N.-C. Daily Neics.)

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OFFICE OF THIS PAPER. Houskong, February 10 1890. 266 TO LET.

ST FLOOR OF HOUSE, No. 15, PRAYA ORNTHAL. 2nd FLOOR of HOUSE, No. 64, QUEEN' ROAD CRATHAL.

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FROM ANTWERP, LONDON, PEN-ANG AND SINGAPORE.

THE Steamship Glengary having ar- ing the following Nos :-1 rived from the above Ports, Conbamboo. In the case of the two latter, signoes of Cargo by her are hereby the culprit remives a flogging more or less informed that their Goods are being landed painful, and is released. The t'es banish- at their risk into the Godown's of the Hongment lasts a year, two years, two and a wong & Kowloon Wharf & Godown half, or three years as the case may be, Company, Lauren, at Kowloon, whence

in, exile to 2,000, 3 000, or 4,000 licaway, Optional Cargo will be forwarded unless Oarco remaining undelivered after the

> 4th-April will be subject to rout. No Fire Insurance has been effected Consignees are requested to present all Claims for damages and/or shortages not will not be recognized. Bills of Lading will be countersigned by

JARDINE, MATHESON & Co., Hongkong, March 29, 1890,

FROM SOURABAYA, BATAVIA AND SINGAPORE.

HE Steamship Goalpara having arrived from the above Ports, Consignoes Cargo by her are hereby informed considered by the ancients and is still that their Goods are being landed at their considered in China, less injurious to risk into the Godowns of the Hongkong mency; a Government that would hold LD., at Kowloon, whence delivery may be

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Hongkong, April 2. 1890.

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on week days, 10 to 3 : Saturdays, 10 -Sums less than \$1, or more than \$250 at one time will not be received. No depositor may deposit more than 23,500

in any one year.

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Books but should send them to be written up at least twice a year, about the beginning of January and beginning of July. Correspondence as to the business of the Bank if marked On Hongkong, Savings' Bank Business is forwarded free

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For the HONGEONG & SHANGHAI BANKING CORPORATION, G. E. NOBLE, Ohief Manager.

are necessary.

Hougkong, January 1, 1869, NOTIOE. HONGKONG AND WHAMPOA DOCK

COMPANY, LIMITED. CHIPMASTERS and ENGINEERS are respectfully informed that, if upon their arrival in this Harbour, NONE of the Company's FOREMEN should be at

hand, Orders for REPAIRS if sent to the HEAD OFFICE, No. 14, Praya Central, was receive prompt attention. In the Brent of Complaints being founds signed is requested, when immediate stops. will be taken to rectify the cause of dis-

satisfaction. D. GILLIES.

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